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## Glossary of Terms

1. Butterfly: The DFT computation of Figure 3.4 provides the notation whose appearance is that of a "butterfly".
2. Fixed Radix: The term "radix" is commonly used to describe a specific FFT decomposition. The term "fixed" radix means that all the factors of  $N$  are the same.
3. Mixed Radix: All the factors of  $N$  are not identical.
4. Relatively Prime: The numbers in a given set are said to be relatively prime when no number in the set is divisible (with no remainder) by any other number in the set. Example, (2, 3, 7, 9) are not relatively prime sets because 9 is divisible (with no remainder) by 3. The following example is relatively prime: (2, 3, 5, 7).
5. Square and Square-free Factors: For the case where  $N = 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 7 \cdot 4$ , the "4s" are square factors and the 3 and 7 are square-free.
6. Twiddle Factors: The term refers to the complex multipliers of Figure 3.8 which pre-multiply the FFT butterflies. They are sometimes called phase or rotation factors.

## Abstract

A comprehensive comparison of the most efficient Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT) techniques is presented. The DFT algorithms selected are the fixed radix Fast Fourier Transform (FFT), mixed radix FFT, the Winograd Fourier Transform Algorithm (WFTA), and the Prime Factor Algorithm (PFA). Comparison of the algorithms is based on the number of real multiplications, additions, and memory arrays required as a function of sequence length  $N$ . This paper reviews the literature, selects the most efficient DFT FORTRAN programs available, develops the number of real multiplications and additions as a function of  $N$ , and compares the algorithms using tables and plots of real multiplications, additions, and memory arrays. This comparison shows that the WFTA and PFA require the least real multiplications and additions, but the fixed radix and mixed radix FFTs require the least memory. The mixed radix FFT is much more flexible than WFTA or PFA since  $N$  can be any length sequence. The WFTA and PFA are closely studied and tradeoffs between the two are discussed. The PFA uses less additions but more multiplications for most sequence lengths which means the WFTA is more efficient when multiplications are "costly" relative to additions. The PFA uses less memory than the WFTA making the PFA preferable when the machine memory is limited. Based on

the results of the paper, an algorithm is presented to select the most efficient DFT for an  $N$  length sequence given the multiply speed, add speed, and memory size of the computer.

## I. Introduction

### 1.1 Background

Computing the Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT) of  $N$  points has many applications in scientific and engineering calculations. In 1965 Cooley and Tukey described an algorithm which became known as the Fast Fourier Transform (FFT) because it reduced the number of complex operations required to compute the DFT from  $N^2$  to  $N \log_2 N$  where  $N=2^m$ ,  $m$  an integer. Using ideas proposed in the Cooley-Tukey paper a mixed radix algorithm was written and published in 1969 by Singleton which permitted  $N$  to be any positive integer length sequence.

In 1976 Winograd proposed a mixed radix DFT algorithm which (1) converted the DFT to circular convolution, (2) used fast convolution algorithms to perform "short-DFTs", and (3) nested these short-DFTs into a structure to perform long Fourier transforms on complex data sequences. This algorithm became known as the Winograd Fourier Transform Algorithm (WFTA). The WFTA maintained the real additions count at the FFT levels while significantly reducing the real multiplications required.

Kolba and Parks, 1977, used Winograd's fast convolution algorithms and proposed a new Prime Factor Algorithm

(PFA). This new algorithm modified the short-DFTs to use "shifts" instead of multiplication by  $1/2$  and did not use the nested structure of WFTA. As a consequence the PFA uses more real multiplications and less additions relative to the WFTA for a given length sequence  $N$ .

### 1.2 Problem

Both Winograd, 1976, and Kolba-Parks, 1977, compared their operations count to that of the FFT but did not include all possible WFTA and PFA sequence lengths. Further, no comparisons were made on the basis of memory arrays required by each algorithm as a function of  $N$ . This paper presents a comprehensive comparison of fixed radix FFTs, mixed radix FFTs, WFTA, and PFA based on real operations and memory arrays. This comparison provides the information needed to select the most efficient algorithm to perform the DFT based on machine size, machine speed, and real operations.

### 1.3 Scope

This paper reviews the literature, selects DFT algorithms for comparison, studies the theory of each algorithm selected, develops the real operation and memory count as a function of  $N$ , compares these algorithms using tables and plots of operation and memory counts, and presents an algorithm to select the most efficient techniques.

The DFT algorithms selected for study and comparison are:

- (1) Radix-2 FFT
- (2) Radix-3 FFT
- (3) Radix-3 FFT in the  $R(u)$  field
- (4) Radix-5 FFT
- (5) Mixed radix FFT written by the author
- (6) Mixed radix FFT written by Singleton
- (7) Mixed radix FFT available from International Mathematical Subroutine Library (IMSL) on the CDC Cyber 74
- (8) WFTA
- (9) PFA.

Each of these algorithms has a particular advantage which makes selection of the best algorithm dependent on the machine size, machine speed, and sequence length.

#### 1.4 Assumptions

To a first approximation, the speed of an FFT algorithm is proportional to the number of complex multiplications used. The number of times the data array is indexed is, however, an important secondary factor (Singleton, 1969). Kolba and Parks, 1977, substantiated this assumption by timing the PFA and FFTs on an IBM 370/155 for several sequence lengths and showing that the FORTRAN coded PFA (having less real additions and multiplications) was faster than the FFT FORTRAN algorithms.

In 1978 Morris demonstrated that the sequence of arithmetic operations in a DFT algorithm's internal structure can result in different execution times "between ostensibly equivalent algorithms on a given machine" and that the computer dependent algorithm/architecture interactions may also alter relative performance of the different algorithms. He modified the FORTRAN coded radix-4 FFT and WFTA programs and matched them to the PDP 11/55 and IBM 370/168 architecture and showed that the WFTA offered neither time or space advantages over the radix-4 FFT. Morris achieved these results because "the radix-4 FFT appears almost ideally matched to the PDP-11 architecture" whereas the WFTA "has extra load/store burdens" and requires extra data array indexing.

Morris demonstrated that it may be possible to optimize DFT algorithms to match a certain machine, however, this type of optimization of the FORTRAN DFT algorithms is outside the scope of this paper. It is assumed that existing FORTRAN coded DFT algorithms will not be modified and selecting an algorithm which minimizes real operations produces the most efficient algorithm.

This paper derives and tabulates real operations counts as a function of  $N$  for the algorithms listed in Section 1.3. The most efficient DFT algorithms are timed on the CDC Cyber 74 computer and compared to the predicted execution time based on real operations. These predicted times are shown to be consistent with the timing results.

### 1.5 Approach and Presentation

A literature review is presented in Chapter II which starts with the 1965 Cooley-Tukey paper and follows the various DFT algorithm developments up through Kolba-Parks' 1977 article. The review puts Rader's 1968 landmark paper in perspective with Winograd's "nested" DFT algorithm and the subsequent work by Kolba and Parks.

Next, the theory behind the DFT algorithms is reviewed, the real operations count developed, and the memory array count needed for a sequence length  $N$  is determined. The general expressions for real operations and memory array counts are developed from published articles or from the background theory and then plotted and tabulated as a function of  $N$ . The readers familiar with the FFT and Winograd background theory may wish to skip Sections 3.1 and 3.2.

In Chapter IV comparison tables and plots of the DFT algorithms make it possible to select the most efficient algorithm based on real operations and memory array required. Timing results from the CDC Cyber 74 system for representative sequence lengths are tabulated to substantiate the assumption that minimizing real operations equates to maximizing efficiency. An algorithm is also presented at the end of Chapter IV which uses the tables in this paper to select the most efficient DFT technique given the sequence length, memory size, and computer add and multiply speed.



Conclusions and recommendations are presented in  
Chapter V.

## II. LITERATURE REVIEW

The calculation of the Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT) is a central operation performed in digital signal processing but was not widely used for other than trivial sequence lengths because of the cumbersome DFT evaluation:

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) \exp(-j2\pi nk/N) \quad (2.1)$$

which required on the order of  $N^2$  complex operations.

In 1965 Cooley and Tukey published "An Algorithm for the Machine Calculation of Complex Fourier Series" which stimulated the widespread use of an algorithm which became known as the "Fast Fourier Transform" (FFT). Their paper proposed an efficient method of computing the DFT by factoring an  $N$  length sequence into its prime components:

$$N = n_1 n_2 \dots n_m \quad (2.2)$$

and then decomposing Eq (2.1) into  $m$  steps with  $N/n_i$  transformations within each step. If  $n_1=n_2=\dots n_m=2$ , the operations are reduced to the  $N \log_2 N$  level from the previous  $N^2$  level.

Most of the early work on the FFT (Bergland, 1968) was directed toward the special cases where  $N=2^m$  which yielded simple and efficient algorithms. These algorithms are efficient because no multiplications are needed to evaluate the 2-point DFT butterflies which can reduce the operations count below the  $N \log_2 N$  level.

Other "fixed radix" algorithms were studied and Dubois and Venetsanopoulos published "A New Radix-3 Algorithm" in 1978 which demonstrated that a radix-3 butterfly could be computed without multiplications by defining a new basis  $(1, u)$  instead of using the complex plane  $(1, i)$  basis, where  $u$  is the complex cube root of unity. This technique was later shown to be limited to the special cases of  $3^m$  and  $6^m$  (Burrus and Parks, 1979).

Based on Cooley and Tukey's paper "mixed-radix" algorithms were written by Brenner and Singleton. The most efficient and popular of these algorithms was "An Algorithm For Computing the Mixed Radix Fast Fourier Transform" published in 1969 by Singleton and is frequently used in digital signal processing where a wider choice of  $N$  is needed. The Singleton algorithm can perform the DFT using FFT techniques of any length sequence  $N$  but becomes most efficient when  $N$  is highly composite from the set of integers 2, 3, 4, and 5. If  $N$  is a prime number the algorithm performs a DFT using  $N^2$  operations. The Singleton algorithm became the standard against which all future DFT techniques were measured.

In 1968 Rader presented "DFTs when the Number of Data Samples Is Prime" which showed that a prime number length sequence contains an  $(N-1)$  point circular convolution. He showed how to isolate the convolution by applying a permutation to the  $(N-1)$  signal points  $x(1), x(2), \dots, x(N-1)$ . He also gave the permutation applied to the complex

multipliers from the set  $[\exp(-j2\pi nk/N), k=1, 2, \dots, N-1]$ . Both of the permutations were generated by using a "primitive" root which exists for  $N$  length prime sequences (McClellan and Rader, 1979). Rader's paper was largely overlooked for many years but took on new significance when Winograd presented his new DFT algorithm "On Computing the Discrete Fourier Transform" in 1976.

Winograd combined Rader's idea of converting a DFT to circular convolution with his own fast convolution algorithms to produce a new DFT method called the "Winograd Fourier Transform Algorithm" (WFTA). Winograd provided the fast convolution algorithms for short prime and prime power length sequences and proposed that longer transforms be computed by "nesting" the short-high speed transforms. He presented a table comparing the WFTA to the radix-2 FFT operations and showed that the number of additions remained at the FFT levels while the number of multiplications was significantly reduced.

Kolba and Parks published "A Prime Factor FFT Algorithm Using High Speed Convolution" in 1977 which modified Winograd's fast convolution algorithms to permit "shifts" instead of multiplications by  $1/2$ . They also changed the nested structure of the WFTA in favor of a conventional FFT decomposition. The decomposition of the sequence was based on an algorithm proposed by Thomas, 1963, in his article "Using a Computer to Solve Problems in Physics" which uses an index mapping based on the Chinese Remainder Theorem.

Kolba and Parks selected several N length sequences and compared their operations count to WFTA and FFT.

Paralleling Winograd's fast convolution work are the studies into number theoretic transforms (NTTs) which have been proposed for digital cyclic convolution and digital filtering. The NTTs were first published by Pollard, 1971, in "The Fast Fourier Transform in the Finite Field". He showed that an analogous transform to the DFT exists in the finite (or Galois) field where  $\exp(j2\pi nk/N)$  terms are replaced by  $r^{nk}$  in the DFT expression such that:

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) r^{nk} \quad (2.3)$$

Notice that Pollard chose the alternative definition of the DFT where the exponent of e is positive. The r term is defined in the Galois field (GF) such that the same cyclic convolution properties exist in GF and in the complex field for the DFT. He then proved that this analogous DFT could apply prime factor decomposition to the N length sequence and perform  $N/n_1$  transformations to reduce the operations in GF to the  $N \log_2 N$  level which provided the FFT in GF. Pollard proposed that this technique be applied to cyclic convolutions in GF, multiplication of polynomials over  $GF(p^n)$ , aperiodic convolution of integer sequences, multiplication of very large integers, division of polynomials over  $GF(p)$ , and a chirp-Z-transform for NTTs (McClellan and Rader, 1979).

Pollard's paper stimulated more study of the NTTs. Reed and Truong's 1975 paper, "The Use of Finite Fields to Compute Convolutions", includes complex valued NTTs. It was shown that this NTT over  $GF(q^2)$  can reduce convolution operations to the FFT levels. If  $q$  is sufficiently large the NTT can be used over  $GF(q^2)$  to transform a sequence of complex integers  $x(n)$  into  $X(k)$  on  $GF(q^2)$  for which the inverse transform of  $X(k)$  on  $GF(q^2)$  is precisely the original sequence  $x(n)$ . Using these ideas filtering or convolutions without roundoff errors can be obtained on a sequence of complex integers.

Most applications of the NTTs have been in the areas of digital filtering and convolution. The author was not able to find any NTT algorithm which could be compared to the FFT, WFTA, or PFA and perform all the same functions as these three algorithms.

PFA, WFTA, and FFT represent the most efficient and flexible FORTRAN programs available to perform the DFT. Each algorithm has its own particular advantage over the other two depending on machine size and speed for a particular sequence length. None of the articles reviewed presents a comprehensive evaluation or comparison of the three algorithms based on real operations and memory arrays required to perform a DFT for any sequence length  $N$ . This paper fills that need so that an efficient algorithm can be selected.

### III. FFT Theory

The set of algorithms known as the Fast Fourier Transforms (FFT) use a variety of methods to reduce the computation time required to evaluate the Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT). The DFT is the central part in most spectrum analysis problems and the FFT can improve performance by a factor of 100 or more over direct evaluation of the DFT (Rabiner and Gold, 1975). Therefore, the FFT is crucially important to the digital signal processing techniques.

This section begins with "fixed radix" FFT algorithms by discussing a "decimation-in-time" algorithm, the data reordering (bit reversal) theory, the real operations (addition and multiplication) count, a new fixed radix algorithm in the finite field, and then summarizes the memory required to use the fixed radix algorithms. Next the conventional "mixed" radix algorithms are presented by discussing the theory, digit reversal, real operations count, and memory required to utilize the mixed radix algorithms. This theory chapter concludes with a discussion of mixed radix algorithms based on fast convolution. The theory, data reordering, real operations count and memory are also presented for these algorithms.

Before discussing the FFT algorithms comments must be made relative to computing the trigonometric function values needed to evaluate the FFT.

### 3.1 Computing Trigonometric Function Values

The trigonometric values used in FFTs can be represented as values on the unit circle. The values are based on integer powers of

$$\exp(-j2\pi/N)$$

which can be computed using sine and cosine functions. It is useful to have accurate methods of generating the sine and cosine terms other than the method of repeated use of library sine and cosine functions.

The method most widely used in FFT algorithms (Singleton, 1967) generates the trigonometric functions by a difference equation given by:

$$\begin{aligned}\cos((k+1)a) &= (C \cdot \cos(ka) - S \cdot \sin(ka)) + \cos(ka) \\ \sin((k+1)a) &= (C \cdot \sin(ka) + S \cdot \cos(ka)) + \sin(ka)\end{aligned}$$

where

$$C = -2 \sin^2(a/2)$$

$$S = \sin(a)$$

$$\cos(0) = 1$$

$$\sin(0) = 0$$

This technique is used for all FFTs presented in this paper (except noted otherwise) because it minimizes using FORTRAN library subroutines  $\cos(\cdot)$  and  $\sin(\cdot)$  thereby reducing the overall FFT computation time.



### 3.2 Fixed Radix Algorithms

While FFT algorithms are well known and widely used, they are relatively intricate and somewhat difficult to grasp at first reading. There are two excellent textbooks (Rabiner and Gold, 1975; Oppenheim and Schaffer, 1975) which discuss the FFT theory in great detail and present FFTs based on decimation-in-time and frequency. Both texts spend a great deal of time discussing the radix-2 FFT, which is the most widely known and used. For this reason, the radix-2 development is presented here as a convenience for the reader and provides a theoretical background from which the other fixed radix algorithms are derived.

3.2.1 Development of Radix-2 Theory. To achieve the reduction in complex operations (defined as four real multiplications and two real additions) from  $N^2$  to  $N \log_2 N$  it is necessary to decompose the DFT computation into smaller and smaller DFT computations. As a result, the symmetry and periodicity of the complex exponential  $\exp(-j2\pi nk/N) = W_N^{nk}$  can be exploited. This radix-2 algorithm is based on decomposition of the sequence  $x(n)$  from the DFT expression:

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) \exp(-j2\pi nk/N) \quad (3.1)$$

$$k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1 \text{ and } N=2^m$$

which is known as a "decimation-in-time" algorithm (Oppenheim and Schaffer, 1975). Since  $N$  is an even integer,

$X(k)$  can be computed by separating  $x(n)$  into two  $N/2$  length sequences consisting of even-numbered points and the odd-numbered points in  $x(n)$ . Using  $n=2r$  for  $n$  even and  $n=2r+1$  for  $n$  odd Eq (3.1) becomes:

$$X(k) = \sum_{r=0}^T x(2r) W_N^{2rk} + \sum_{r=0}^T x(2r+1) W_N^{(2r+1)k} \quad (3.2)$$

where  $T=(N/2)-1$  and  $W_N = \exp(-j2\pi/N)$ . By expanding  $W_N^{(2r+1)k}$  and factoring out  $W_N^k$  Eq (3.2) can be rewritten as:

$$X(k) = \sum_{r=0}^T x(2r) (W_N^2)^{rk} + W_N^k \sum_{r=0}^T x(2r+1) (W_N^2)^{rk} \quad (3.3)$$

But  $W_N^2 = \exp(-j4\pi/N) = \exp(-j2\pi/(N/2)) = W_{N/2}$  and Eq (3.3) can be written as:

$$\begin{aligned} X(k) &= \sum_{r=0}^T x(2r) W_{N/2}^{rk} + W_N^k \sum_{r=0}^T x(2r+1) W_{N/2}^{rk} \\ &= G(k) + W_N^k H(k) \end{aligned} \quad (3.4)$$

Each of the sums in Eq (3.4) is an  $N/2$  point DFT, the first sum being the even numbered points of the original sequence and the second sum being the odd numbered points of the original sequence. Although the index  $k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$ , each of the sums in Eq (3.4) need only be computed over  $k = 0, 1, \dots, (N/2)-1$ , since  $G(k)$  and  $H(k)$  are periodic in  $k$  with period  $N/2$ . After the two DFTs in Eq (3.4) are computed, they are then combined to yield the  $N$ -point DFT,  $X(k)$ . Figure 3.1 indicates the computation involved in computing  $X(k)$  according to Eq (3.4) for an eight-point

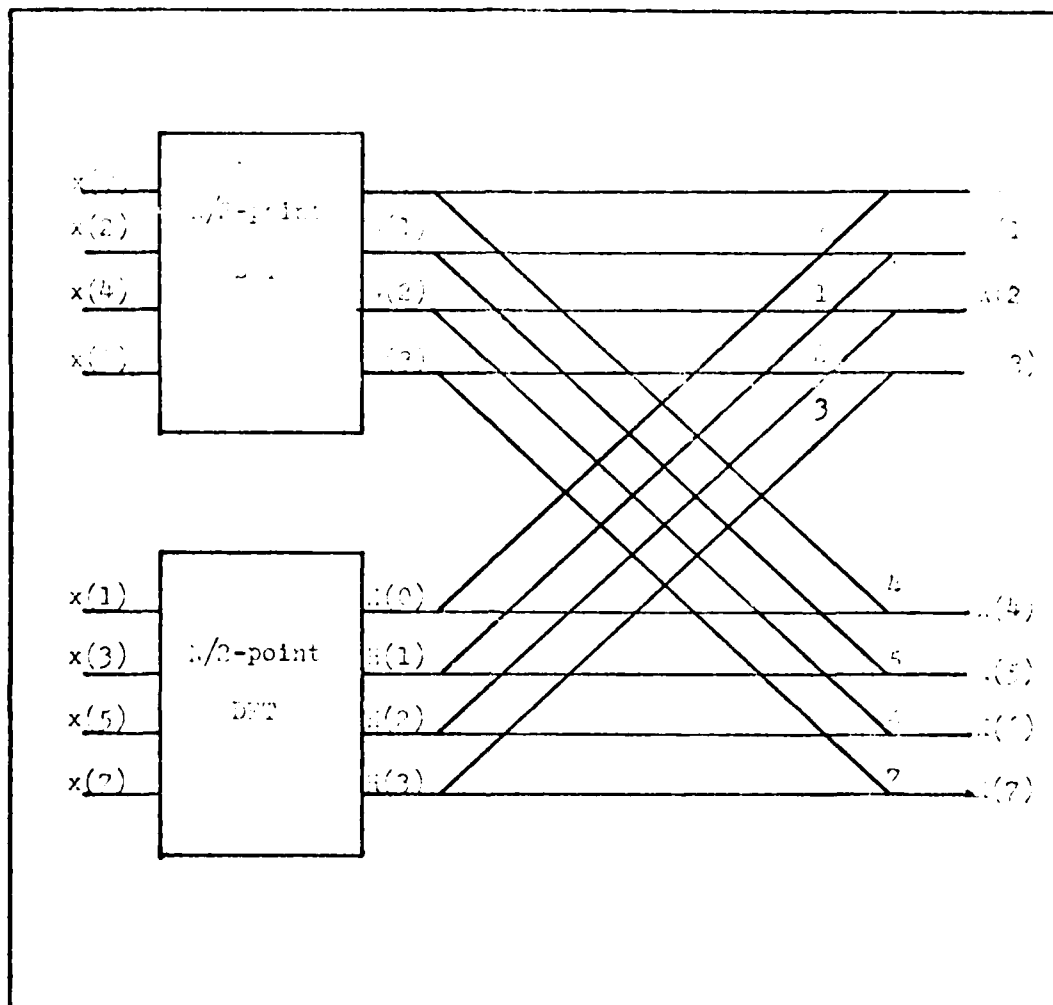


Figure 3.1. Flowgraph of the Decimation-In-Time Decomposition of an N-Point DFT Computation into Two N/2-Point DFT Computations (N=8).

NOTE: The integers on the branches of the flowgraph represent the powers of  $W_N$ ; i.e., the "4" represents  $W_N^4$ .

sequence. Figure 3.1 (Oppenheim and Schaffer, 1975) uses the signal flow conventions such that branches entering a node are summed to produce the node variable. When no coefficient is shown the branch transmittance is assumed to be one. For other branches the transmittance of a branch is an integer power of  $W_N$ . Note in Figure 3.1 that two four-point DFTs are computed using  $G(k)$  and  $H(k)$ .  $X(0)$  is obtained by multiplying  $H(0)$  by  $W_N^0$  and adding the product to  $G(0)$ .  $X(1)$  is obtained by multiplying  $H(1)$  by  $W_N^1$  and adding the result to  $G(1)$ . For  $X(4)$  it would follow that  $H(4)$  is multiplied by  $W_N^4$  and added to  $G(4)$ , however, since  $G(k)$  and  $H(k)$  are both periodic in  $k$  with period 4,  $H(4) = H(0)$  and  $G(4) = G(0)$ . Thus  $X(4)$  results from multiplying  $H(0)$  by  $W_N^4$  and adding the produce to  $G(0)$ .

With the computation of the  $N$ -point DFT of Eq (3.4) that number of computations can be compared with the direct DFT computation of Eq (3.1). For the direct computation without using symmetry properties  $N^2$  complex multiplications were required. Eq (3.4) requires computation of two  $N/2$ -point DFTs, which require  $2(N/2)^2$  complex multiplications and about  $2(N/2)^2$  complex additions (Oppenheim and Schaffer, 1975). The two  $N/2$ -point DFTs must be combined, requiring  $N$  complex multiplications corresponding to multiplying the second sum by  $W_N^k$  and then  $N$  complex additions, corresponding to adding the product to the first sum. As a result, the computation of Eq (3.4) for all values of  $k$  requires

$N + 2(N/2)^2$  or  $N + (N^2/2)$  complex multiplications and additions. For  $N > 2$ ,  $N + N^2/2$  is less than  $N^2$ .

The expression in Eq (3.4) corresponds to decimating the original  $N$ -point sequence into odd and even  $N/2$ -point sequences. Since  $N=2^m$  the  $N/2$ -point sequences are also even and then each  $G(k)$  and  $H(k)$  can be further decimated into two  $N/4$ -point DFTs, which could then be combined to yield the  $N/2$ -point DFTs. Decimating the  $N/2$ -point sequences in Eq (3.4) into  $N/4$ -point sequences gives:

$$\begin{aligned} G(k) &= \sum_{r=0}^{(N/2)-1} g(r) W_{N/2}^{rk} \\ &= \sum_{p=0}^{(N/4)-1} g(2p) W_{N/2}^{2pk} + \sum_{p=0}^{(N/4)-1} g(2p+1) W_{N/2}^{(2p+1)k} \end{aligned}$$

Letting  $R = (N/4)-1$ ,

$$G(k) = \sum_{p=0}^R g(2p) W_{N/4}^{pk} + W_{N/2}^k \sum_{p=0}^R g(2p+1) W_{N/4}^{pk} \quad (3.5)$$

Similarly,

$$H(k) = \sum_{p=0}^R h(2p) W_{N/4}^{pk} + W_{N/2}^k \sum_{p=0}^R h(2p+1) W_{N/4}^{pk} \quad (3.6)$$

If the four-point DFT in Figure 3.1 are computed using Eq (3.5) and (3.6) then that computation would be carried out as indicated in Figure 3.2. Inserting the computation in Figure 3.2 into the flowgraph of Figure 3.1 produces the complete flowgraph in Figure 3.3. Note that  $W_{N/2} = W_N^2$  was used.

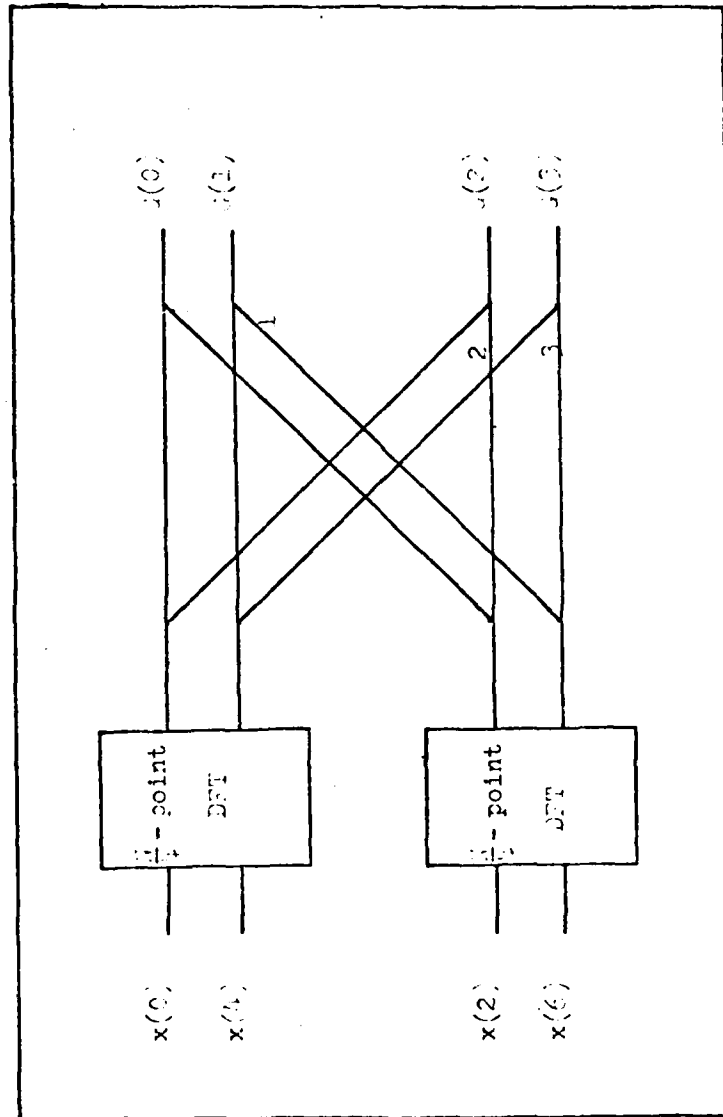


Figure 3.2. Flowgraph of the Decimation-In-Time Decomposition of an N/2-Point DFT Computation into Two N/4-Point DFT Computations (N=8).

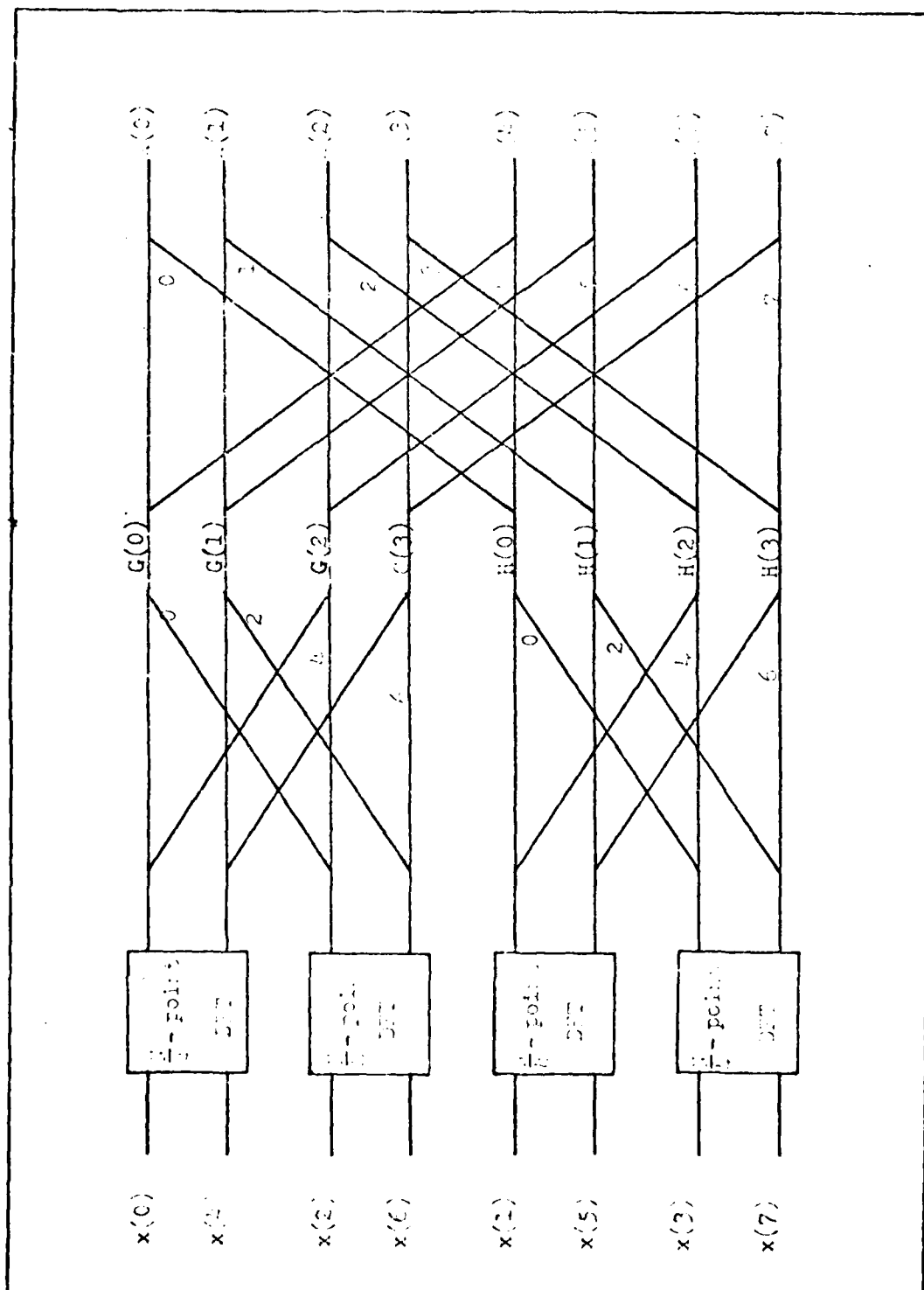


Figure 3.3. Result of Substituting Figure 3.2 into Figure 3.1.

For the 8-point DFT that has been used as an example, the computation has been reduced to a computation of  $N/4$ -point DFTs where  $N/4=2$ . An example, 2-point DFT for  $x(0)$  and  $x(4)$  is shown in Figure 3.4. The complete flowgraph for the computation of the 8-point DFT is shown in Figure 3.5 and was obtained with the computation of Figure 3.4 and inserting it in Figure 3.3.

Considering the more general case with  $N$  a power of 2 greater than 3 the same decimation procedure would be continued by decomposing the  $N/4$ -point transforms in Eqs (3.5) and (3.6) into  $N/8$ -point transforms. This requires  $v$  stages of computation where  $v = \log_2 N$ . Recall that in the original decomposition of the  $N$ -point transform into two  $N/2$ -point transforms, the number of complex multiplications and additions required was  $N + 2(N/2)^2$ . When the  $N/2$ -point transforms were decomposed into  $N/4$ -point transforms the factor of  $(N/2)^2$  is replaced by  $N/2 + 2(N/4)^2$  so that the overall computation now requires  $N + N + 4(N/4)^2$  complex multiplications and additions. If  $N=2^v$  this can be done at most  $v = \log_2 N$  times, "so that after carrying out this decomposition as many times as possible the number of complex multiplications and additions is equal to  $N \log_2 N$ " (Oppenheim and Schaffer, 1975).

The flowgraph of Figure 3.5 displays the operations explicitly. By counting branches with transmittances of the form  $W_N^r$  it is seen that each stage has  $N$  complex



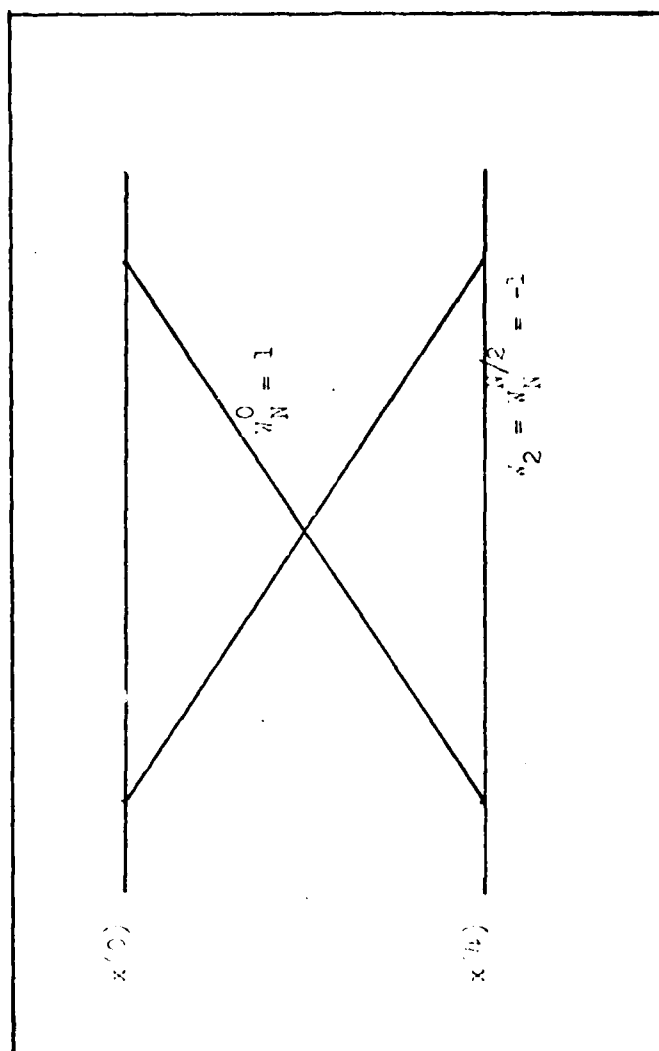


Figure 3.4. Flowgraph of Two-Point DFT.

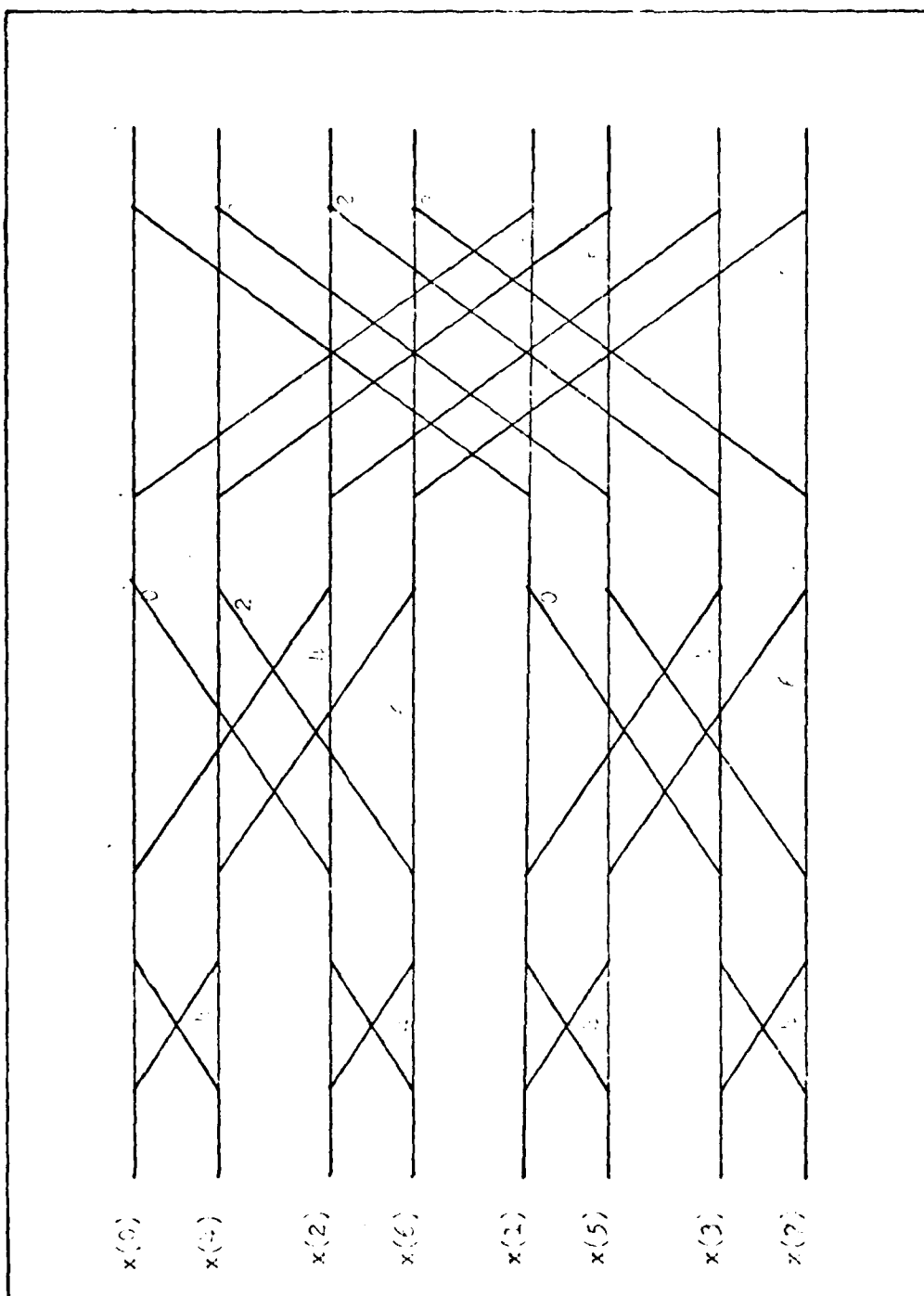


Figure 3.5. Flowgraph of Complete Decimation-In-Time Decomposition of an 8-Point DFT.

multiplications and  $N$  complex additions. Since there are  $\log_2 N$  stages there are a total of  $N \log_2 N$  complex multiplications and additions as shown before. Further reductions in the complex operations count can be achieved by exploiting the symmetry and periodicity of  $W_N^r$ .

Note that on each "stage" of Figure 3.5 the computation takes a set of  $N$  complex numbers and transforms them into another set of  $N$  complex numbers. This process is repeated  $v = \log_2 N$  times resulting in the DFT computation. For example, in computing the first stage of Figure 3.5 one set of storage registers would contain the input data sequence and a second set of storage registers would contain the computed results for the first stage. The sequence of numbers resulting from the  $m^{\text{th}}$  stage of computation is denoted as  $X_m(i)$ , where  $i = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$  and  $m = 1, 2, \dots, v$ . For the following stage, the previous output array,  $X_m(i)$ , becomes the input array and the new output array is  $X_{m+1}(i)$  for the  $(m+1)$  stage of computation. Using this notation, it can be seen that the basic flowgraph in Figure 3.5 is given by Figure 3.6. Using the notation of Figure 3.6 the equations of the butterfly are given by:

$$X_{m+1}(p) = X_m(p) + W_N^r X_m(q) \quad (3.7)$$

$$X_{m+1}(q) = X_m(p) + W_N^{r+N/2} X_m(q) \quad (3.8)$$

Because of the appearance of Figure 3.6 the computation of Eqs (3.7) and (3.8) are referred to as the "butterfly" computations.

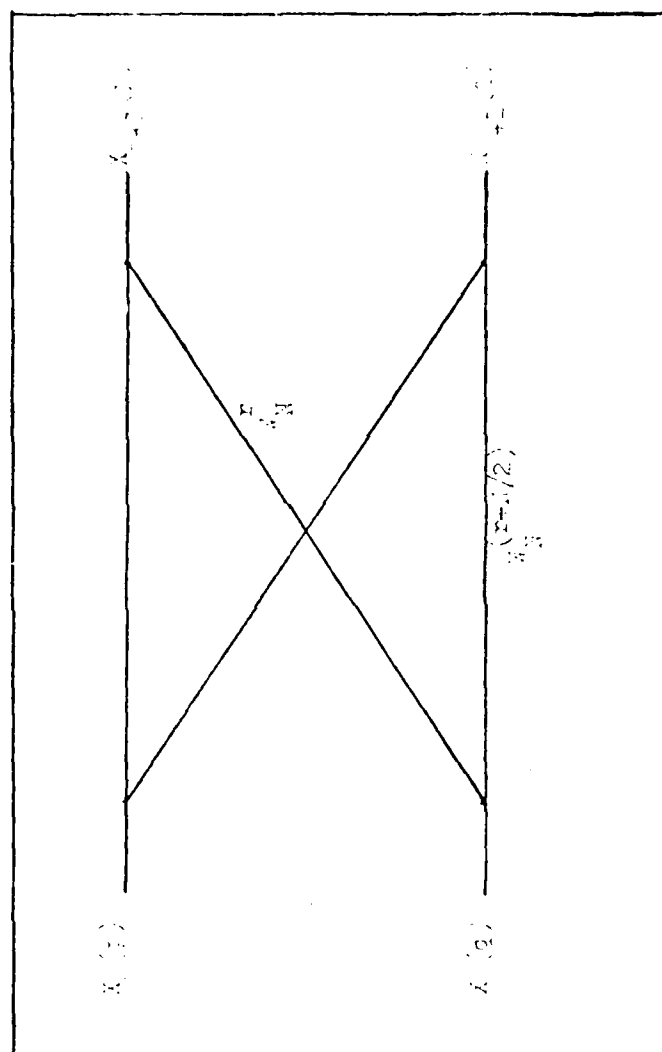


Figure 3.6. Flowgraph of Basic Butterfly Computation.

The number of complex multiplications can be reduced by a factor of 2 using the symmetry:

$$W_N^{N/2} = \exp(-j(2\pi/N) \cdot N/2) = \exp(-j\pi) = -1 \quad (3.9)$$

so that the Eq (3.7) becomes:

$$X_{m+1}(p) = X_m(p) + W_N^r X_m(q) \quad (3.10)$$

$$X_{m+1}(q) = X_m(p) - W_N^r X_m(q) \quad (3.11)$$

Eqs (3.10) and (3.11) are shown in Figure 3.7 which reflects the "twiddle factor"  $W_N^r$  out front in the butterfly. Since there are  $N/2$  "butterflies" of the form of Figure 3.7 per stage and  $\log_2 N$  stages, the total number of complex multiplications required is  $(N/2) \log_2 N$  instead of the  $N \log_2 N$  used in Figure 3.5. Using the "twiddle factor" butterfly flowgraph of Figure 3.6 as a replacement for the butterfly of Figure 3.4, the Figure 3.8 is obtained.

**3.2.2 Development of Radix-3 FFT Theory.** Starting with the restriction that the  $N$ -point sequence be an integer power of three ( $N = 3^m$ ,  $m = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ ), the DFT  $X(k)$  was computed by separating the discrete time sequence  $s(n)$  into three  $N/3$  point sequences.  $X(k)$  is given by the DFT expression:

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) W_N^{nk} \quad \text{where } k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1 \quad (3.12)$$

and  $W_N = \exp(-j2\pi/N)$

Breaking  $x(n)$  into three  $N/3$  point sequences yields  $x(3r)$ ,  $x(3r+1)$  and  $x(3r+2)$ . Substituting these into Eq (3.12) and adjusting the respective summations to  $(N/3)-1$  yields:

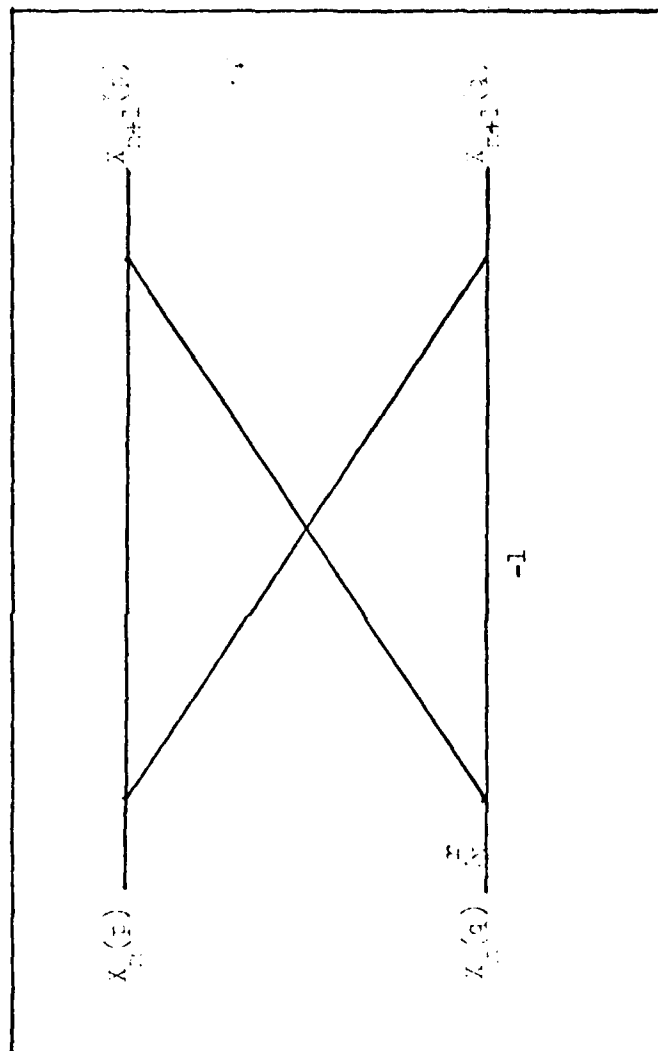


Figure 3.7. Flowgraph of Simplified Butterfly Computation.

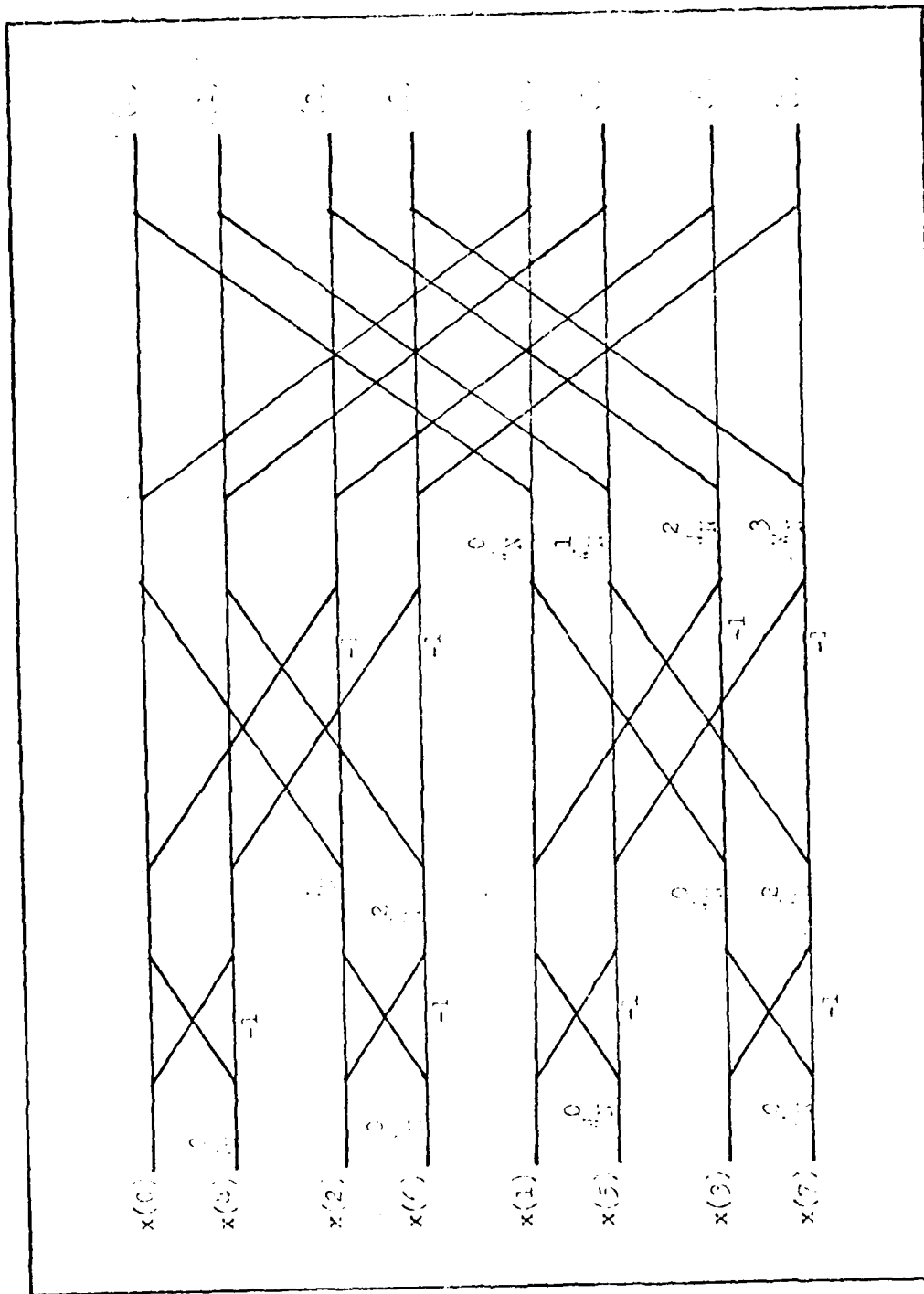


Figure 3.8. Flowgraph of 8-Point DFT Using the "Twiddle Factor" Butterfly of Figure 3.7.

$$\begin{aligned}
X(k) = & \sum_{r=0}^P x(3r)W_N^{(3r)k} + \sum_{r=0}^P x(3r+1)W_N^{(3r+1)k} \\
& + \sum_{r=0}^P x(3r+2)W_N^{(3r+2)k} \\
& \text{where } P = (N/3)-1 \quad (3.13)
\end{aligned}$$

By regrouping the exponents of  $W_N$  Eq (3.13) can be rewritten as:

$$\begin{aligned}
X(k) = & \sum_{r=0}^P x(3r)W_N^{3rk} + W_N^k \sum_{r=0}^P x(3r+1)W_N^{3rk} \\
& + W_N^{2k} \sum_{r=0}^P x(3r+2)W_N^{3rk} \quad (3.14)
\end{aligned}$$

By rewriting  $W_N^3$  as:

$$W_N^3 = \exp(-j6\pi/N) = \exp(-j2\pi/(N/3)) = W_{N/3} \quad (3.15)$$

Eq (3.14) can be expressed as:

$$\begin{aligned}
X(k) = & \sum_{r=0}^P x(3r)W_{N/3}^{rk} + W_N^k \sum_{r=0}^P x(3r+1)W_{N/3}^{rk} \\
& + W_N^{2k} \sum_{r=0}^P x(3r+2)W_{N/3}^{rk} \quad (3.16)
\end{aligned}$$

Each of the sums in Eq (3.16) represents an  $N/3$  point DFT: the first being the  $N/3$  DFT of the  $3r$  points in the original sequence, the second being the  $N/3$  points of  $3r+1$ , and the third being the  $N/3$  points of  $3r+2$  points of the original sequence. Although the index  $k$  of  $X(k)$  ranges over  $N$  values ( $k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$ ) each of the summations in Eq (3.16) needs computation over  $(N/3)-1$  points. Eq (3.16) can be rewritten to reflect this:



$$X(k) = F(k) + W_N^k G(k) + W_N^{2k} H(k) \quad (3.17)$$

Eq (3.17) can be implemented into the butterfly flowgraph in Figure 3.9 using the accepted notational conventions (Oppenheim and Schaffer, 1975). The convention used for the flowgraph is when no coefficient is shown, the branch transmittance is assumed to be one. For other branches the transmittance (multiplier) is an integer power multiplier of  $W_N$ . In Figure 3.9 there are three  $N/3$  point DFTs and these are computed with  $F(k)$  designating the three point DFT of the  $3r$  points,  $G(k)$  designating the three point DFT of  $3r+1$ , and  $H(k)$  designating the DFT of  $3r+2$  points, where  $r = 0, 1, \dots, (N/3)-1$ .

$X(0)$  is obtained by (1) multiplying  $H(0)$  by a branch transmittance of 1 (which equals  $W_N^0$ ), (2) multiplying  $G(0)$  by 1, (3) multiplying  $F(0)$  by 1, and (4) summing the three. Likewise,  $X(1)$  is obtained by multiplying  $H(1)$  by  $W_N^2$ , multiplying  $G(1)$  by  $W_N^1$ , and adding the results to  $F(1)$ .  $X(6)$  has  $H(6)$  multiplied by  $W_N^{12}$  and  $G(6)$  multiplied by  $W_N^6$  and the products added to  $F(6)$  giving:

$$X(6) = F(6) + W_N^6 G(6) + W_N^{12} H(6) \quad (3.18)$$

However, since  $F(k)$ ,  $G(k)$ , and  $H(k)$  are all periodic in  $k$  with period  $N/3=3$ , the periodicity can be exploited to yield  $F(6) = F(0)$ ,  $G(6) = G(0)$ , and  $H(6) = H(0)$ . These results can be substituted into Eq (3.18) to give:

$$X(6) = F(0) + W_N^6 G(0) + W_N^{12} H(0) \quad (3.19)$$

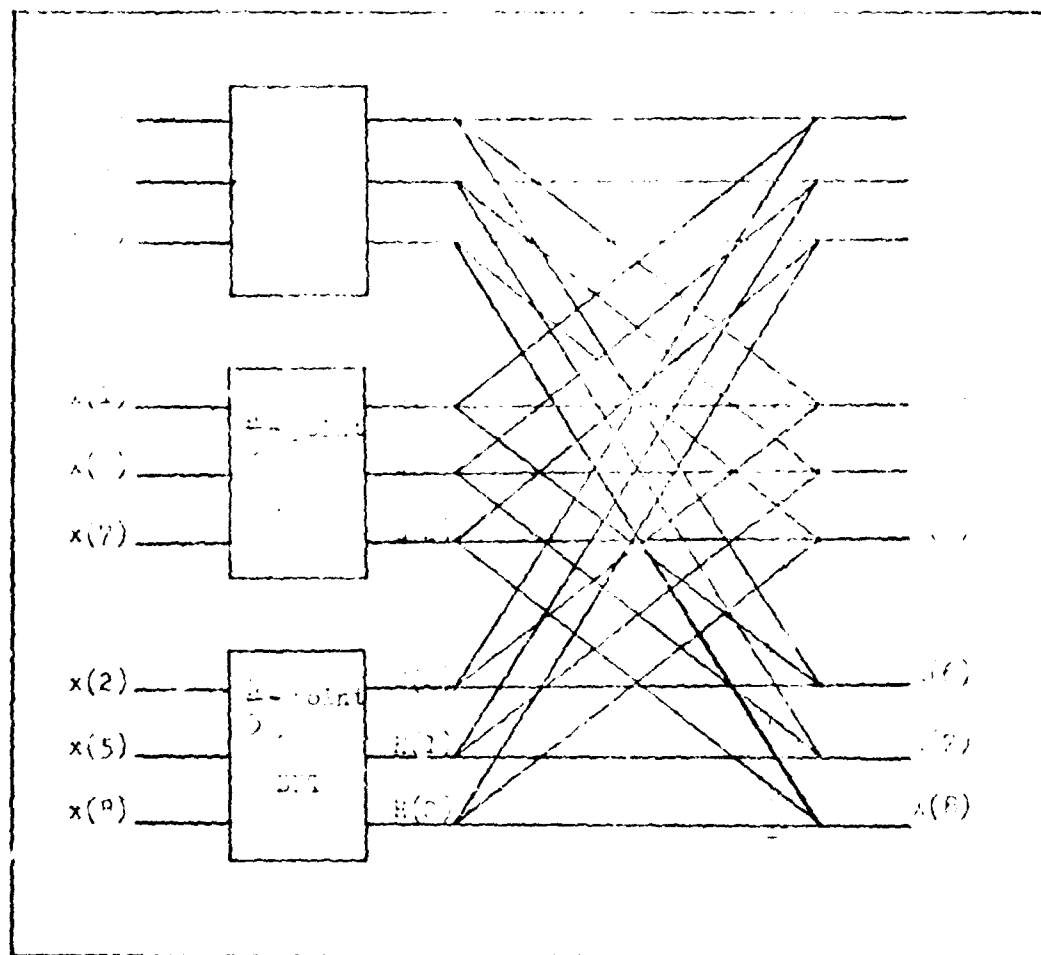


Figure 3.9. Butterfly Flowgraph for First Stage Decimation (N=9).

NOTE: The numbers on the branch transmittances represent exponents of  $W_9$ ; e.g., 6 represents  $W_9^6$ .

Continuing to use the periodic properties, the results for  $X(0)$  through  $X(8)$  are:

$$X(0) = F(0) + G(0) + H(0) \quad (3.20)$$

$$X(1) = F(1) + W_9^1 G(1) + W_9^2 H(1) \quad (3.21)$$

$$X(2) = F(2) + W_9^2 G(2) + W_9^4 H(2) \quad (3.22)$$

$$X(3) = F(0) + W_9^3 G(0) + W_9^6 H(0) \quad (3.23)$$

$$X(4) = F(1) + W_9^4 G(1) + W_9^8 H(1) \quad (3.24)$$

$$X(5) = F(2) + W_9^5 G(2) + W_9^{10} H(2) \quad (3.25)$$

$$X(6) = F(0) + W_9^6 G(0) + W_9^{12} H(0) \quad (3.26)$$

$$X(7) = F(1) + W_9^7 G(1) + W_9^{14} H(1) \quad (3.27)$$

$$X(8) = F(2) + W_9^8 G(2) + W_9^{16} H(2) \quad (3.28)$$

Eqs (3.20) through (3.28) conclude the first stage decimation of the 9-point sequence. The DFT computation has been reduced to computations of  $N/3$ -point DFTs where  $N/3 = 3$ .

An example 3-point DFT for  $x(0)$ ,  $x(3)$ , and  $x(6)$  is shown in Figure 3.10. The complete flowgraph for the computation of the 9-point DFT is shown in Figure 3.11 and was obtained by substituting the computation of Figure 3.10 into Figure 3.9.

Considering the more general case with  $N$  a power of 3 greater than two the same decimation procedure would be continued by decomposing the  $N/3$  DFTs into  $N/9$  computations of  $F(k)$ ,  $G(k)$ , and  $H(k)$ . The DFT of  $F(k)$  is:

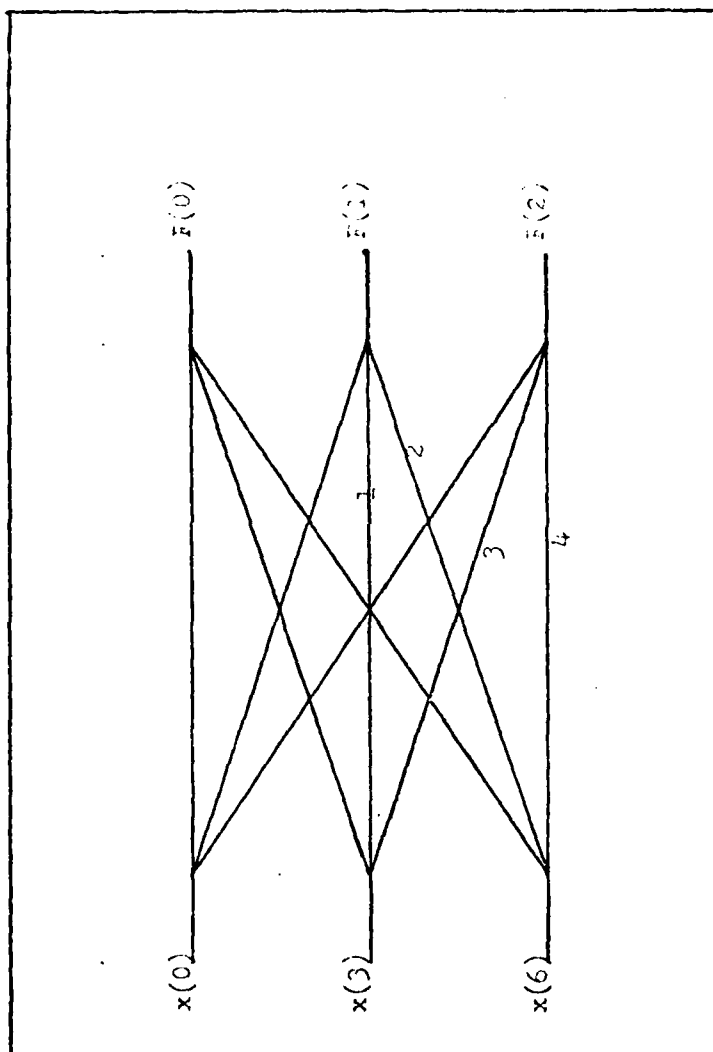


Figure 3.10. Butterfly Flowgraph for  $F(k)$ .

NOTE: The numbers on branch transmittances refer to powers of  $W_N$ .

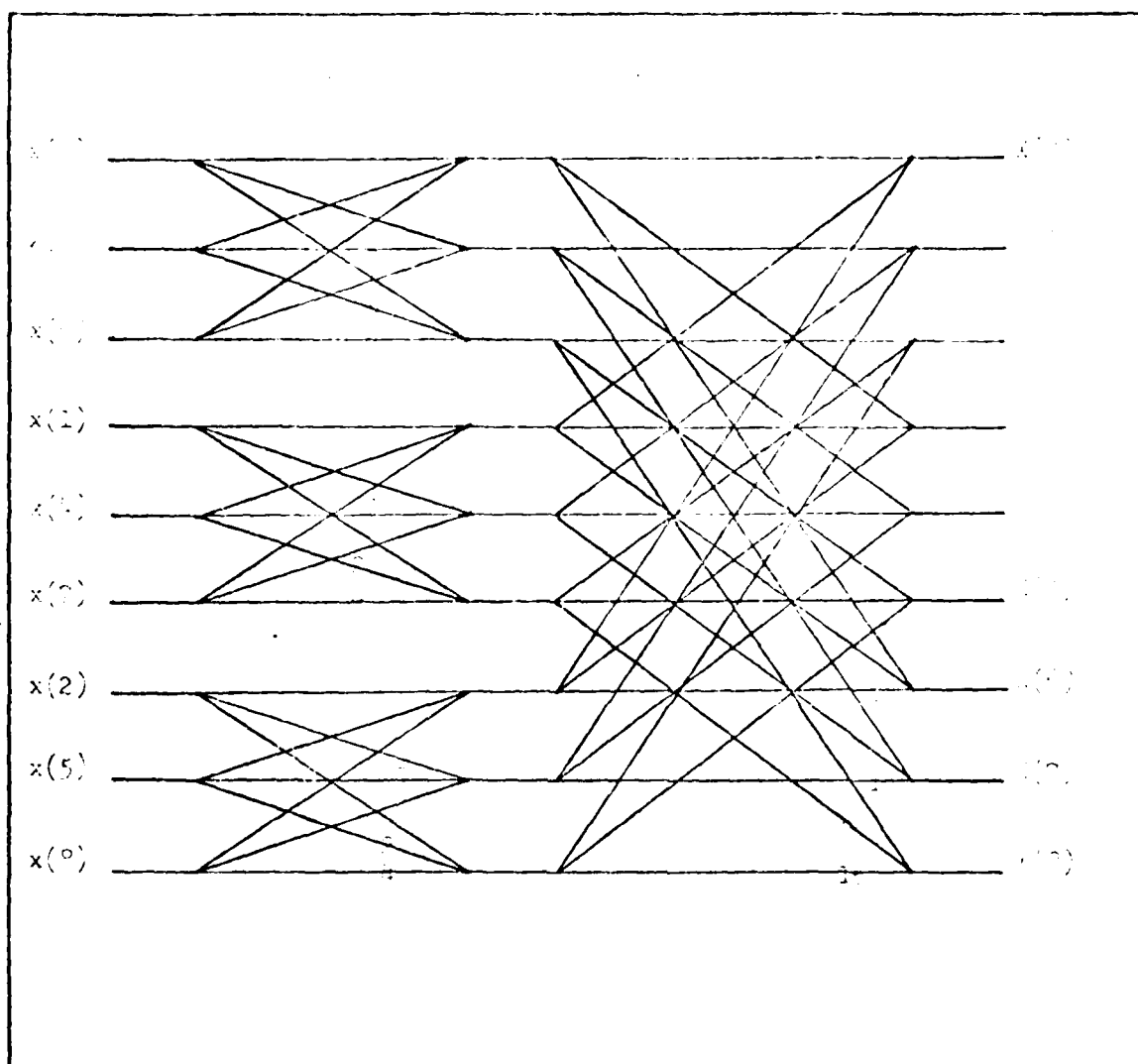


Figure 3.11. Complete Butterfly Flowgraph ( $N=9$ ).

NOTE: Digits on the branch transmittance refer to powers of  $W_N$ .

$$F(k) = \sum_{r=0}^{(N/3)-1} x(r) W_3^{rk} \quad (3.29)$$

This equation, letting  $Q = (N/3)-1$ , can be divided into three  $N/9$  length sequences:

$$\begin{aligned} F(k) = & \sum_{i=0}^Q f(3i) W_{N/3}^{3ik} + \sum_{i=0}^Q f(3i+1) W_{N/3}^{(3i+1)k} \\ & + \sum_{i=0}^Q f(3i+2) W_{N/3}^{(3i+2)k} \end{aligned} \quad (3.30)$$

Expanding the exponents of  $W_{N/3}$  Eq (3.30) can be rewritten:

$$\begin{aligned} F(k) = & \sum_{i=0}^Q f(3i) W_{N/3}^{3ik} + W_{N/3}^k \sum_{i=0}^Q f(3i+1) W_{N/3}^{3ik} \\ & + W_{N/3}^{2k} \sum_{i=0}^Q f(3i+2) W_{N/3}^{3ik} \end{aligned} \quad (3.31)$$

Using the substitution  $W_{N/3}^3 = W_{N/9}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} F(k) = & \sum_{i=0}^Q f(3i) W_{N/9}^{ik} + W_{N/3}^k \sum_{i=0}^Q f(3i+1) W_{N/9}^{ik} \\ & + W_{N/3}^{2k} \sum_{i=0}^Q f(3i+2) W_{N/9}^{ik} \end{aligned} \quad (3.32)$$

Similar expressions for  $G(m)$  and  $H(m)$  can be derived:

$$\begin{aligned} G(k) = & \sum_{i=0}^Q g(3i) W_{N/9}^{ik} + W_{N/3}^k \sum_{i=0}^Q g(3i+1) W_{N/9}^{ik} \\ & + W_{N/3}^{2k} \sum_{i=0}^Q g(3i+2) W_{N/9}^{ik} \end{aligned} \quad (3.33)$$

$$\begin{aligned} H(k) = & \sum_{i=0}^Q h(3i) W_{N/9}^{ik} + W_{N/3}^k \sum_{i=0}^Q h(3i+1) W_{N/9}^{ik} \\ & + W_{N/3}^{2k} \sum_{i=0}^Q h(3i+2) W_{N/9}^{ik} \end{aligned} \quad (3.34)$$

Eqs (3.32) through (3.34) can be used to derive the general expression for a radix-3 butterfly flowgraph. Letting  $N=9$  the expressions for  $F(k)$ ,  $G(k)$  and  $H(k)$  become:

$$\begin{aligned} F(0) &= f(0) + W_3^0 f(1) + W_3^0 f(2) \\ F(1) &= f(0) + W_3^1 f(1) + W_3^2 f(2) \\ F(2) &= f(0) + W_3^2 f(1) + W_3^4 f(2) \end{aligned} \quad (3.35)$$

$$\begin{aligned} G(0) &= g(0) + W_3^0 g(1) + W_3^0 g(2) \\ G(1) &= g(0) + W_3^1 g(1) + W_3^2 g(2) \\ G(3) &= g(0) + W_3^2 g(1) + W_3^4 g(2) \end{aligned} \quad (3.36)$$

$$\begin{aligned} H(0) &= h(0) + W_3^0 h(1) + W_3^0 g(2) \\ H(1) &= h(0) + W_3^1 h(1) + W_3^2 g(2) \\ H(2) &= h(0) + W_3^2 h(1) + W_3^4 g(2) \end{aligned} \quad (3.37)$$

From Eqs (3.35) through (3.37) the general butterfly multipliers are derived (consistent with Oppenheim and Schaffer) to be:

$$X(k) = F(k) + W_N^k G(k) + W_N^{2k} H(k) \quad (3.38)$$

$$X(k+r) = F(k) + W_N^{k+r} G(k) + W_N^{2k+2r} H(k) \quad (3.39)$$

$$X(k+2r) = F(k) + W_N^{k+2r} G(k) + W_N^{2k+4r} H(k) \quad (3.40)$$

where  $r$  represents the distance between the endpoints of the butterfly. In Figure 3.11  $r=1$  for stage 1 and  $r=2$  for

stage 2. Eqs (3.38) through (3.40) are represented in Figure 3.12 which is the general radix-3 butterfly flowgraph.

The exponents of Figure 3.12 can be rewritten to:

$$W^{k+r} = W^k W^r \quad (3.41)$$

$$W^{2k+2r} = W^{2k} W^{2r} \quad (3.42)$$

$$W^{k+2r} = W^k W^{2r} \quad (3.43)$$

$$W^{2k+4r} = W^{2k} W^{4r} \quad (3.44)$$

With these expressions for the butterfly multipliers an alternative arrangement to Figure 3.12 is possible by "premultiplying" or "twiddling" the inputs to  $G(k)$  and  $H(k)$  (Gentleman and Sande, 1966). The multipliers  $W_N^k$  and  $W_N^{2k}$  represent the twiddle factors of the butterfly in Figure 3.13. Since  $N=3r$  (Oppenheim and Schaffer, 1975) the butterfly multipliers can be reduced to:

$$\begin{aligned} W_N^r &= W_{3r}^r = \exp(-j2\pi r/3r) = \exp(-j2\pi/3) \\ &= -0.5 - j.866 \end{aligned} \quad (3.45)$$

$$W_N^{2r} = W_{3r}^{2r} = \exp(-j4\pi/3) = -0.5 + j.866 \quad (3.46)$$

$$W_N^{4r} = W_{3r}^{4r} = \exp(-j8\pi/3) = -0.5 - j.866 \quad (3.47)$$

Oppenheim and Schaffer observed that there is no advantage in Figure 3.12 to the alternate twiddle factor version in Figure 3.13 because "exp(-j2 $\pi$ /3) and all the powers thereof are complex coefficients that require multiplications". However, for the particular FORTRAN FFT radix-3 programs which implemented Figures 3.12 and 3.13, the twiddle factor



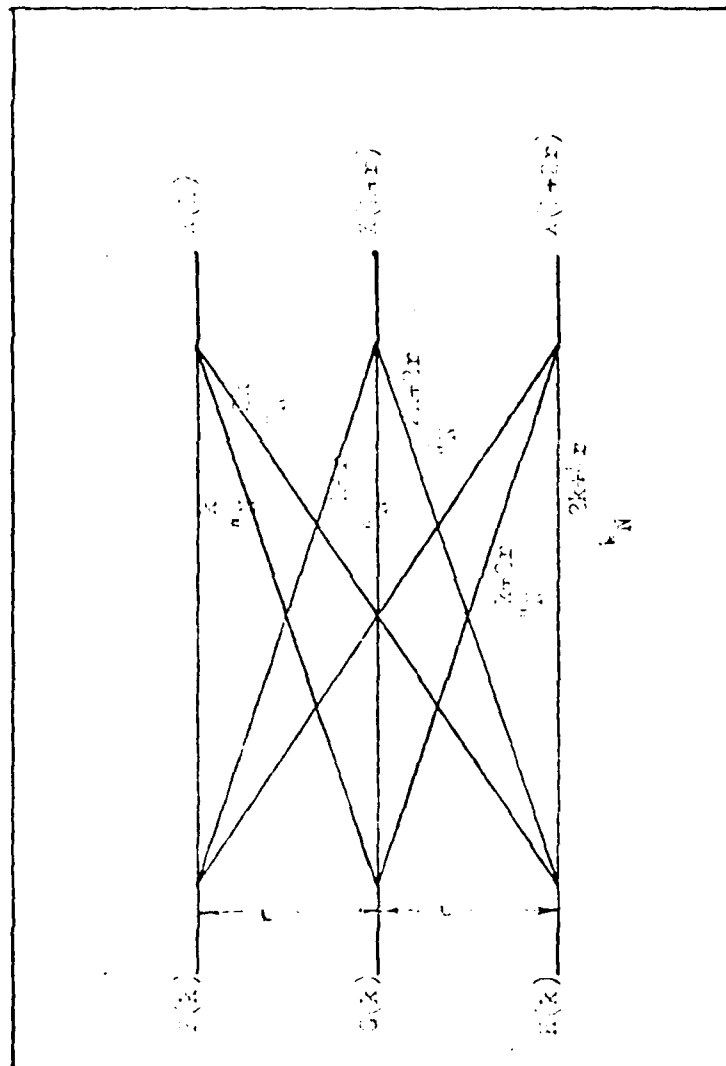


Figure 3.12. General Radix-3 Butterfly Flowgraph.

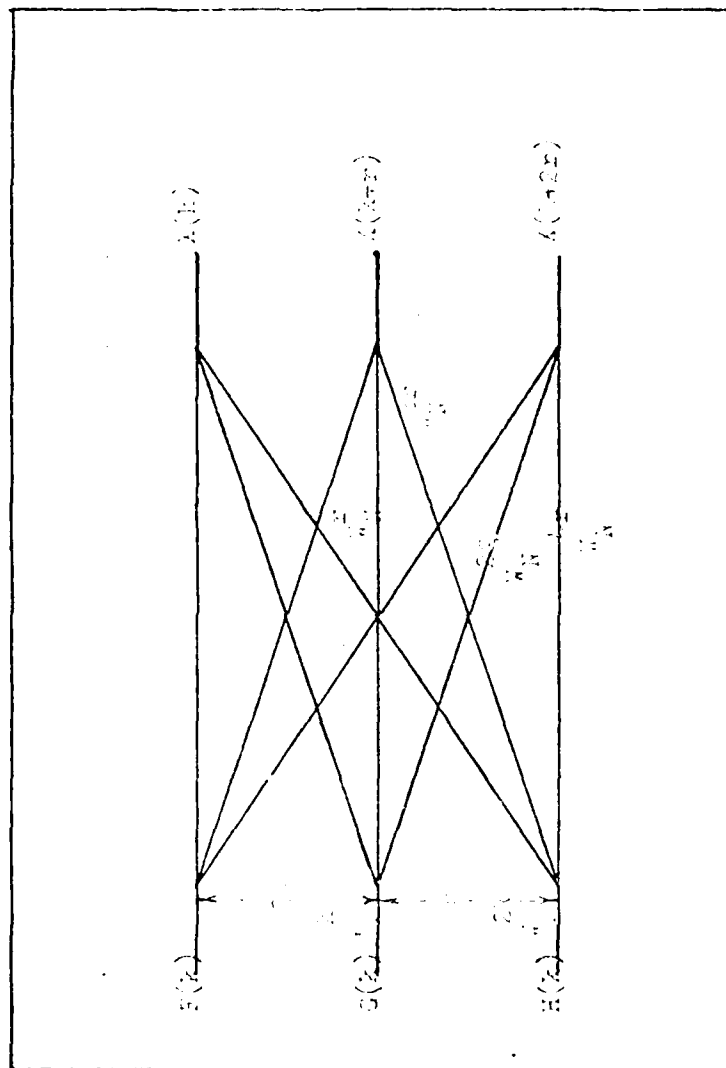


Figure 3.13. Basic Twiddle Factor Radix-3 Butterfly.

version of the radix-3 FFT was much more efficient to implement because only two twiddle factors had to be computed ( $W_N^k$  and  $W_N^{2k}$ ) per butterfly and the butterfly multipliers were the constants in Eqs (3.45) and (3.46), the original version of Figure 3.12 requires that all six complex multipliers be computed for each butterfly. The twiddle factor version represents a simplification over the original radix-3 butterfly.

**3.2.3 Radix-5 Theory.** The theory for the radix-5 algorithm follows a development similar to the radix-3. Because of this similarity only the radix-5 results are given here for comparison to the radix-3, readers interested in detailed development are referred to Appendix D.

The basic butterfly multipliers for the radix-5 are given by:

$$X(k) = A(k) + W_N^k B(k) + W_N^{2k} C(k) + W_N^{3k} D(k) + W_N^{4k} E(k) \quad (3.48)$$

$$\begin{aligned} X(k+r) = A(k) + W_N^{k+r} B(k) + W_N^{2k+2r} C(k) + W_N^{3k+3r} D(k) \\ + W_N^{4k+4r} E(k) \end{aligned} \quad (3.49)$$

$$\begin{aligned} X(k+2r) = A(k) + W_N^{k+2r} B(k) + W_N^{2k+4r} C(k) + W_N^{3k+6r} D(k) \\ + W_N^{4k+8r} E(k) \end{aligned} \quad (3.50)$$

$$\begin{aligned} X(k+3r) = A(k) + W_N^{k+3r} B(k) + W_N^{2k+6r} C(k) + W_N^{3k+9r} D(k) \\ + W_N^{4k+12r} E(k) \end{aligned} \quad (3.51)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 X(k+4r) = & A(k) + W_N^{k+4r} B(k) + W_N^{2k+8r} C(k) + W_N^{3k+12r} D(k) \\
 & + W_N^{4k+16r} E(k)
 \end{aligned} \quad (3.52)$$

The Eqs (3.48) through (3.52) are shown in the twiddle factor butterfly of Figure 3.14 where "r" is the distance between the butterfly and points. Since  $N=5r$  the butterfly multipliers reduce to constant complex multipliers of:

$$\begin{aligned}
 W_N^r &= W_N^{6r} = W_N^{16r} = \cos(2\pi/5) - j \sin(2\pi/5) \\
 W_N^{2r} &= W_N^{12r} = \cos(4\pi/5) - j \sin(4\pi/5) \\
 W_N^{3r} &= (W_N^{2r})^* = W_N^{8r} = \cos(4\pi/5) + j \sin(4\pi/5) \\
 W_N^{4r} &= (W_N^r)^* = W_N^{9r} = \cos(2\pi/5) + j \sin(2\pi/5)
 \end{aligned}$$

These constant butterfly multipliers are computed once during the FFT computation and used in every radix-5 butterfly.

**3.2.4 Digit Reversal Algorithm.** In order for the DFT to be computed as discussed above, the input data must be stored in nonsequential order. In fact the order in which the input data are stored is in "bit-reversed" order for the radix-2 FFT and "digit-reversed" order for the other fixed-radix algorithms. To see what is meant by this terminology note that for the 8-point radix-2 flowgraph of Figure 3.8 three binary digits are required to index through the data array. Writing the input indices  $X_0$  in binary form and then reversing the order of the bits gives:

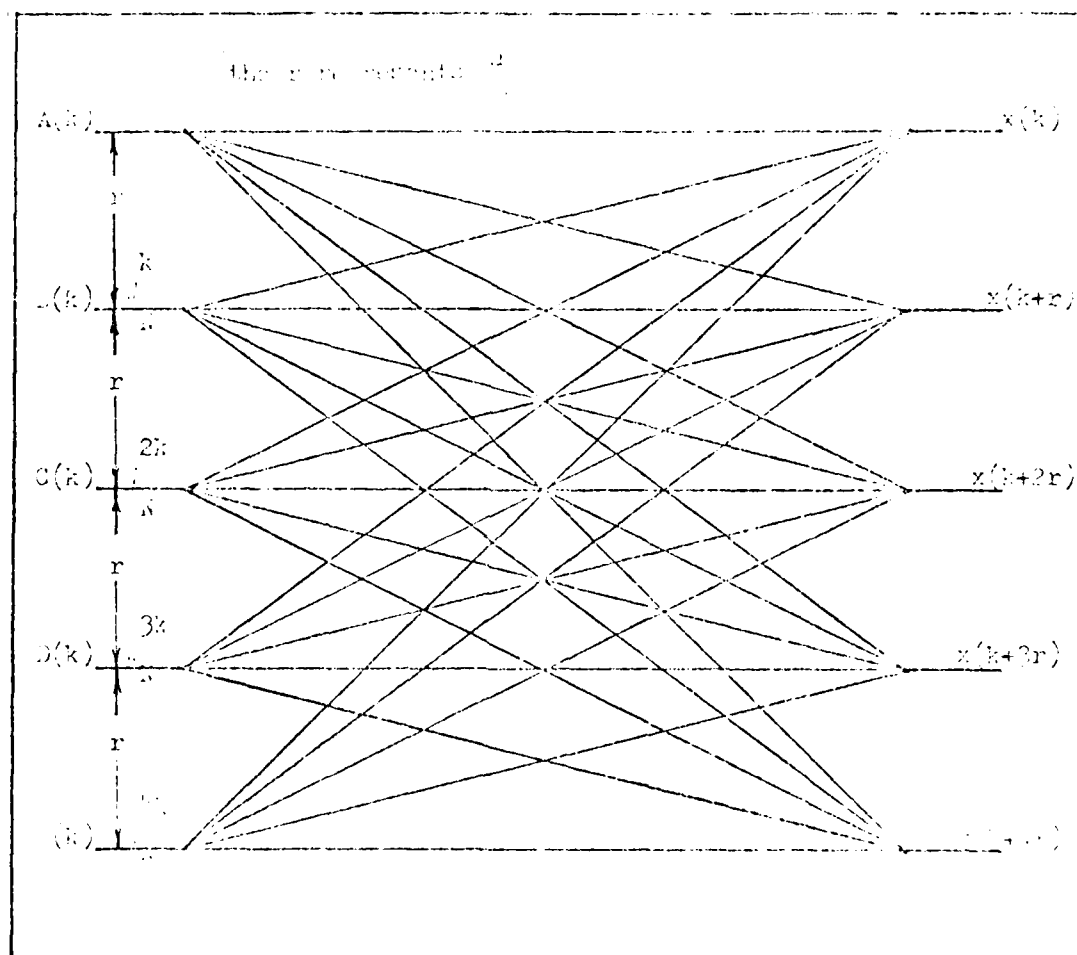


Figure 3.14. Radix-5 Twiddle Factor Butterfly.

$$\begin{aligned}
x_0(0) &= x_0(000) = x(000) = x(0) \\
x_0(1) &= x_0(001) = x(100) = x(4) \\
x_0(2) &= x_0(010) = x(010) = x(2) \\
x_0(3) &= x_0(011) = x(110) = x(6) \\
&\vdots \\
x_0(7) &= x_0(111) = x(111) = x(7)
\end{aligned} \tag{3.53}$$

If  $(n_2 \ n_1 \ n_0)$  is the binary representation of the index of the sequence  $x(n)$ , then sequence value  $s(n_2 \ n_1 \ n_0)$  is stored in array position  $x_0(n_0 \ n_1 \ n_2)$ . That is, in determining the position of  $x(n_2 \ n_1 \ n_0)$  in the input array, the bits of index  $n$  must be reversed in order.

For the radix-3 FFT the input array must be in a similar nonsequential order. The order is determined by "digit reversing" the input sequence value using a modulo-3 counter. The digit reversed radix-3 FFT example where  $N=9$  is shown in Figure 3.15. The modulo-3 counter is given by:

$$\text{COUNT} = (b_1 \cdot 3^1) + (b_0 \cdot 3^0) \tag{3.54}$$

where  $b_k = 0, 1, 2$ . The reversed count is given by:

$$\text{REVCOUNT} = (b_0 \cdot 3^1) + (b_1 \cdot 3^0) \tag{3.55}$$

Eqs (3.54) and (3.55) show the modulo-3 counter for  $N=9$  which requires only two  $b_k$  bits:  $b_1$  and  $b_0$  to represent the input sequence. For the case where  $N=3^3=27$  three bits are needed to represent the input sequence  $x(n)$  and the modulo-3 counter becomes:

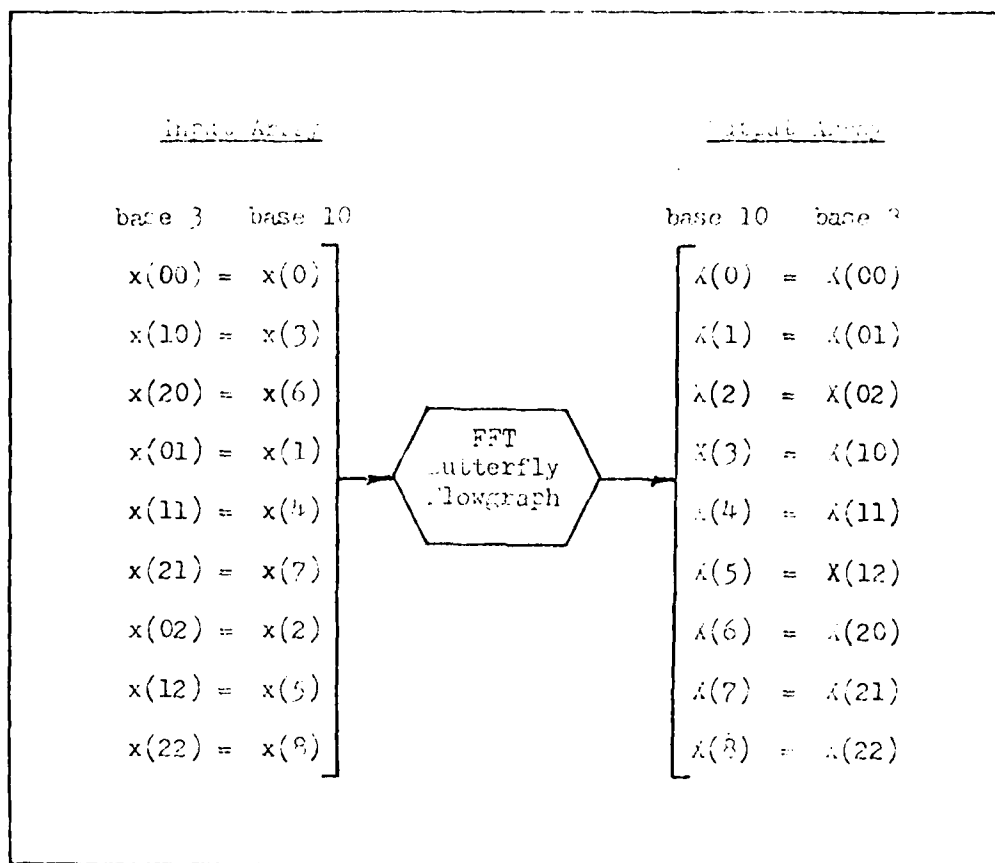


Figure 3.15. Digit Reversed Input and Output Arrays.

$$\text{COUNT} = (b_2 \cdot 3^2) + (b_1 \cdot 3^1) + (b_0 \cdot 3^0) \quad (3.56)$$

and the reverse digit counter is:

$$\text{REVCOUNT} = (b_0 \cdot 3^2) + (b_1 \cdot 3^1) + (b_2 \cdot 3^0) \quad (3.57)$$

Similarly the general expressions for COUNT and REVCOUNT can be given where  $N=3^m$  and  $b_k = 0, 1, 2$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \text{COUNT} = & (b_{m-1} \cdot 3^{m-1}) + (b_{m-2} \cdot 3^{m-2}) + \dots \\ & + (b_1 \cdot 3^1) + (b_0 \cdot 3^0) \end{aligned} \quad (3.58)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \text{REVCOUNT} = & (b_1 \cdot 3^{m-1}) + (b_2 \cdot 3^{m-2}) + \dots \\ & + (b_{m-2} \cdot 3^1) + (b_{m-1} \cdot 3^0) \end{aligned} \quad (3.59)$$

Once COUNT and REVCOUNT are computed the magnitudes are compared. If REVCOUNT is less than or equal to COUNT a swap of the values indexed by COUNT and REVCOUNT is not required; otherwise exchange the array value indexed in by COUNT with the array value indexed by REVCOUNT. The counters are incremented by one and the process continued until all N indices have been tested.

3.2.5 Development of a Radix-3 FFT Based on the Cube Root of Unity. This section presents the theory of a radix-3 FFT algorithm which uses the complex cube root of unity to perform the complex Fourier transformation (butterfly) without using multiplications. The benefit of this technique will also be discussed in the section on real operations count.



While the reference (Dubois and Venetsanopoulos, 1980) contains a complete description of this technique, it leaves out several steps which aid in understanding the theory and for that reason it is presented again here.

This algorithm uses basis vectors  $(1, u)$  instead of the conventional complex plane vectors  $(1, j)$  to perform the complex Fourier transform (where  $u$  is the cube root of 1 and  $j$  is the square root of  $-1$ ). The new basis vectors use arithmetic notation:

$$a + bu = R(u) ; a, b, \text{ real numbers} \quad (3.60)$$

Taking  $u$  as the cube root of 1 implies:

$$u^3 - 1 = 0 \quad (3.61)$$

or

$$(u-1)(u^2 + u + 1) = 0 \quad (3.62)$$

Since it is known  $u \neq 1$ , then

$$u^2 + u + 1 = 0 \quad (3.63)$$

or

$$u^2 = -1 - u \quad (3.64)$$

Eq (3.60) is used in the definition of multiplication in the  $R(u)$  field:

$$(a + bu)(c + du) = ac + bdu^2 + adu + bcd \quad (3.65)$$

Substituting Eq (3.64) into Eq (3.65) results in:

$$(a + bu)(c + du) = (ac - bd) + (ad + b(c-d))u \quad (3.66)$$

The expression in Eq (3.66) can be expanded and then recombined to reduce the number of multiplications:

$$ad + b(c-d) = ad + bc - bd - bd + bd + ac - ac \quad (3.67)$$

$$= ac + ad + bc + bd - ac - bd - bd \quad (3.68)$$

$$= (a + b)(c + d) - ac - bd - bd \quad (3.69)$$

Substituting Eq (3.69) into Eq (3.66) gives:

$$(a + bu)(c + du) = (ac - bd) \quad (3.70)$$

$$+ ((a + b)(c + d) - ac - bd - bd)u$$

The result in Eq (3.70) requires three real multiplications and six real additions compared with conventional complex multiplication which requires four real multiplications and two real additions. Multiplication in the  $R(u)$  field requires one less multiplication but four more additions.

The expression for  $u^3$  is obtained from  $u^3 = 1$  by letting  $u^3 = (\exp(-j2\pi/3))^3 = 1$ . Consequently,  $u = \exp(-j2\pi/3) = -1/2 - j(\sqrt{3}/2)$  which is used for conversion between  $a + bj$  and  $c + du$ :

$$c + du = c + d(-1/2 - j(\sqrt{3}/2)) = c - d/2 - j(\sqrt{3}/2)d \quad (3.71)$$

$$c + du = (c - d/2) + j(-\sqrt{3}/2)d \quad (3.72)$$

To find the conversion from  $a + bj$  to  $c + du$ , solve Eq (3.70) for  $j$ :

$$c + du = (c - d/2) + (-\sqrt{3}d/2)j$$

$$d/2 + du = (-\sqrt{3}/2)d j$$

$$d(1/2 + u) = (-\sqrt{3}/2)d j$$

$$1/2 + u = (-\sqrt{3}/2)j$$

$$j = (-2/\sqrt{3})(1/2 + u) \quad (3.73)$$

Using Eq (3.66) and  $a + bj$  the conversion to  $c + du$  is:

$$\begin{aligned} a + bj &= a + b(-2/\sqrt{3})(1/2 + u) \\ &= a + b(-2/\sqrt{3})(1/2) + b(-2/\sqrt{3})u \\ a + bj &= (a - b/\sqrt{3}) + (-2b/\sqrt{3})u \end{aligned} \quad (3.74)$$

Using the  $R(u)$  arithmetic developed above, it can be shown that a radix-3 FFT butterfly can be developed which requires no multiplications except for the twiddle factors in Figure 3.13.

Using Eq (3.74) and  $W_N^r = \cos(2\pi r/N) + j(-\sin(2\pi r/N))$  produces:

$$\begin{aligned} c + du &= (\cos(2\pi r/N) + \sin(2\pi r/N)/\sqrt{3}) \\ &\quad + (2 \sin(2\pi r/N)/\sqrt{3})u \end{aligned} \quad (3.75)$$

Using the substitution of  $N = 3r$  in Eq (3.75) reduces it to:

$$\begin{aligned} W_N^r &= (\cos(2\pi/3) + \sin(2\pi/3)/\sqrt{3}) + 2 \sin(2\pi/3)/\sqrt{3}u \\ W_N^r &= 0 + 1u = u \end{aligned} \quad (3.76)$$

Likewise the remaining  $W$  terms in Figure 3.7 can be reduced:

$$\begin{aligned} W_N^{2r} &= (\cos(4\pi/3) + \sin(4\pi/3)/\sqrt{3}) + 2 \sin(4\pi/3)/\sqrt{3}u \\ W_N^{2r} &= -1 - 1u \end{aligned} \quad (3.77)$$

$$W_N^{4r} = 0 + 1u = u \quad (3.78)$$

Substituting Eqs (3.76) through (3.78) into Figure 3.13 produces Figure 3.16.

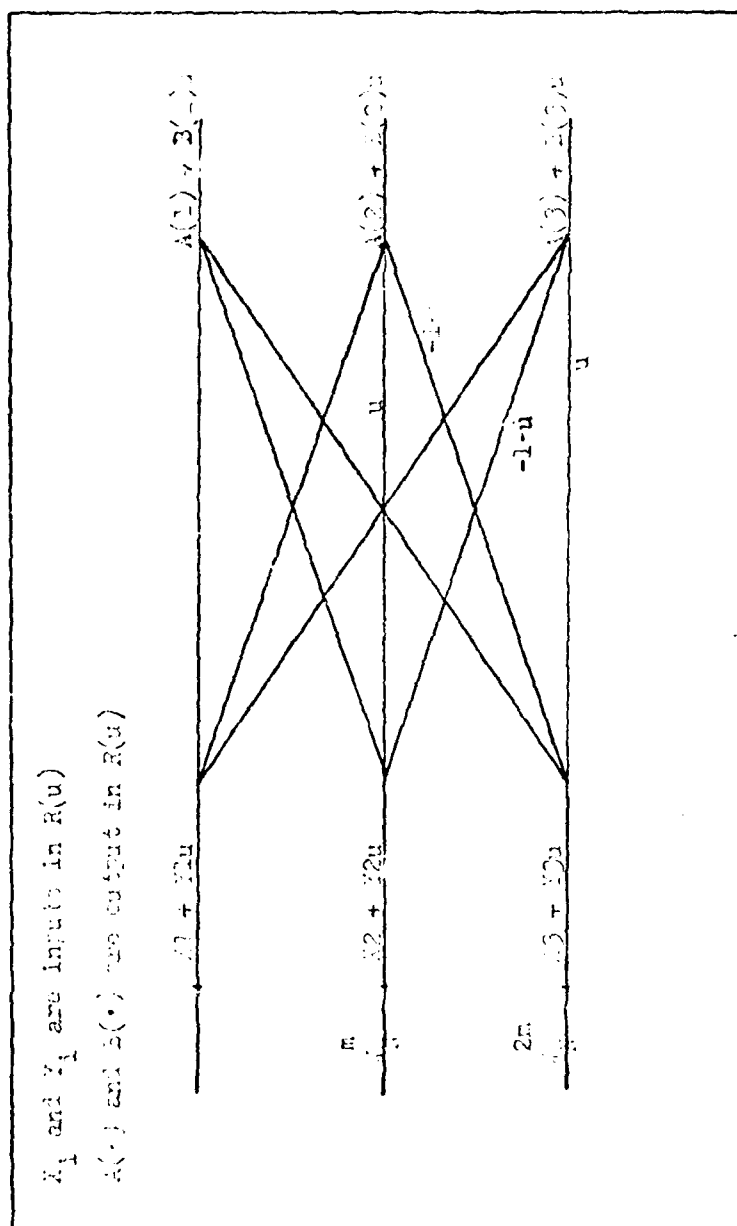


Figure 3.16. Radix-3 Butterfly in  $R(u)$  Arithmetic.

Using arithmetic in  $R(u)$  and carrying out the operations in Figure 3.1b shows that only fourteen real adds and no multiplies are required to evaluate the butterfly flowgraph.  $X_i, Y_i$  are the butterfly inputs after twiddle factor multiplication and  $A(\cdot), B(\cdot)$  are the butterfly outputs in the  $R(u)$  field.

$$A(1) + B(1)u = (X1 + X2 + X3) + (Y1 + Y2 + Y3)u \quad (3.79)$$

$$\begin{aligned} A(2) + B(2)u &= (X2 + Y2u)(0 + u) + (X3 + Y3u)(-1 - u) \\ &\quad + (X1 + Y1u) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A(2) + B(2)u &= (-Y2) + (X2 + Y2(-1))u + (-X3 + Y3) \\ &\quad + (-X3)u - X1 + Y1u \quad (3.80) \\ &= (X1 - Y2 - X3 + Y3) + (Y1 + X2 - Y2 - X3)u \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A(3) + B(3)u &= X1 + Y1u + (X2 + Y2u)(-1 - u) \\ &\quad + (X3 + Y3u)(0 + u) \\ &= X1 + Y1u + (-X2 + Y2) + (-X2)u + (-Y3) \\ &\quad + (X3 + Y3(\bar{0}1))u \quad (3.81) \\ &= (X1 - X2 + Y2 - Y3) + (Y1 - X2 + X3 - Y3)u \end{aligned}$$

There are 16 real additions shown in Eqs (3.80) and (3.81); however, by combining common terms  $-Y2 - X3 = -R$  and  $-X2 - Y3 = -S$ , the radix-3 butterfly can be evaluated using only fourteen real additions (neglecting the twiddle factors):

$$A(1) = X1 + X2 + X3$$

$$B(1) = Y1 + Y2 + Y3$$

$$A(2) = X1 + Y3 - R$$

$$B(2) = Y1 + X2 - R \quad \text{where } R = Y2 + X3$$

$$A(3) = X1 + Y2 - S$$

$$B(3) = Y1 + X3 - S \quad \text{where } S = X2 + Y3$$

3.2.6 Summary. This completes the discussion of fixed radix FFT theory. In this section the general theory was developed using the radix-3 case as an alternative to the more common radix-2 development. A decimation-in-time for  $N=9$  was shown and the basic butterfly equations for radix-3 was derived. Because of the similarity to radix-3 butterflies, the radix-5 theory was not developed but the butterfly equations necessary to implement a radix-5 FFT was given. Finally, a new radix-3 FFT (Dubois and Venetsanopoulos, 1978) was developed.

### 3.3 Real Operations Count for Fixed Radix FFTs

The speed at which an FFT algorithm can perform the DFT is a (to a first approximation) proportional to the number of complex multiplications used in the algorithm (Singleton, 1969). The number of times the data array is indexed is a secondary factor and is shown to have minimal impact on the results of this paper.

An anomaly in the nomenclature should be pointed out before further discussion of "complex multiplications" related to FFTs. A complex multiplication implies four real multiplications and two real additions. It has been shown (Singleton, 1969) that  $(p-1)^2$  real multiplications are required to evaluate a complex transform of dimension  $p$ ,  $p$  odd, where  $N=p^m$ . Singleton then refers to the  $(p-1)^2$

real multiplications as  $(p-1)^2$  complex multiplications which is a notational convenience since a complex transform of dimension  $p$  requires more than  $(p-1)^2/2$  real additions. Throughout this paper all references to multiplications and additions are in terms of real operations and not complex operations.

The real operations are determined from (1) the number of butterflies times the number of real operations required to compute the butterfly and (2) the number of twiddle factors times real operations required per twiddle factor, and (3) the number of trigonometric functions (sine and cosine) which must be computed. The real operations count for a radix- $p$  FFTs are derived as a function of  $N$ ,  $m$ , and  $p$  where  $N=p^m$ .

### 3.3.1 Number of Butterflies in Fixed Radix- $p$ FFTs.

The number of butterflies is dependent on  $N$ ,  $m$ , and  $p$ , where  $N=p^m$ . Examining the radix-2 FFT in Figure 3-8 shows that there are 8 input points and 8 output points for each stage. The radix-2 butterfly in Figure 3.7 has 2 input and 2 output points which means that Figure 3.8 must have  $8/2 = 4$  butterflies per stage. There are 3 stages in this radix-2 FFT (where  $N=2^3$ ) giving a total of 12 butterflies in this FFT.

In general the number of radix- $p$  butterflies is given by:

$$mn/p \quad (3.82)$$

This equation can be checked for the radix-3 example.

Given that  $N=9$ ,  $p=3$ , and  $m=2$  Eq (3.82) gives the total

number of butterflies as  $2 \cdot 9/3 = 6$ . This is verified by Figure 3.11 which has 6 radix-3 butterflies.

3.3.2 Number of Twiddle Factors in Fixed Radix-p FFTs. The twiddle factors are complex multipliers of the form  $\exp(-j2\pi rk/N)$  which multiply each radix-p butterfly as shown in Figure 3.8. Notice that each stage has  $N/p = 8/2 = 4$  butterflies, each of which requires  $p-1 = 2-1 = 1$  complex twiddle factor. The general expression for number of twiddle factors in each stage becomes:

$$N(p-1)/p \quad (3.84)$$

Given that  $N=p^m$  there are  $m$  stages in a radix-p FFT making the total number of twiddle factors for the FFT equal:

$$mN(p-1)/p \quad (3.85)$$

Some of the complex twiddle factors are  $W_N^0 = 1$  and can be eliminated. In any FFT there are  $N-1$  of these unity twiddle factors (Singleton, 1969) which gives the final expression for the number of complex twiddle factors as:

$$mN(p-1)/p - (N-1) \quad (3.86)$$

Using  $N = p^m = 2^3 = 8$  in Eq (3.86) the number of twiddle factors is found to be 5. Examining Figure 3.8 for  $N=2^3$  shows there are 5 non-unity twiddle factors.

3.3.3 Number of Trigonometric Functions Required for the Fixed Radix Algorithms. The trigonometric functions of sine and cosine are needed to compute the twiddle factors. The fixed radix-2 algorithm uses calls to the FORTRAN library SIN and COS functions as well as the difference



equations given in Section 3.1. The radix-3 and 5 FFTs are only sine and cosine difference equations.

The radix-2 algorithm in Appendix A computes one sine and cosine at each stage of the FFT using:

$$W = \text{CMPLX} (\cos(\pi/L), \sin(\pi/L))$$

Each radix-2 FFT has  $m$  stages where  $N=2^m$  which means the sine and cosine functions are called  $m$  times for the FFT. Once the initial sine and cosine are computed for the stage each new twiddle factor in the stage is computed using the complex multiplication:

$$U = U * W$$

where the complex  $U$  was originally initialized to  $U = (1,0)$ .

The complex multiplication  $U * W$  effectively implements the sine and cosine difference equations in Section 3.1.

The number of times  $U * W$  is computed for each FFT stage is a function of the number of different twiddle factors in the stage  $m_i$ . In Figure 3.8 the first stage has only one type of twiddle factor  $W_N^0$ , the second stage has two types:  $W_N^0$  and  $W_N^2$ , while stage has four:  $W_N^0$ ,  $W_N^1$ ,  $W_N^2$ ,  $W_N^3$ . The general expression for the types of twiddle factors in each stage is:

$$TF = 2^{k-1}$$

Thus for stage 1,  $k=1$  and  $TF=2^0=1$ , which gives one type of twiddle factor; for stage 2,  $k=2$  and  $TF=2^1=2$  giving two types of twiddle factors; and finally for the last stage in this example  $k=3$  and  $TF=2^2=4$ , or four types of twiddle factors are required. In general for the radix-2 FFT in

Appendix A the complex multiplication  $U * W$  is evaluated a total of

$$\sum_{k=1}^m (2^{k-1})$$

times, where  $m$  is the number of stages for  $N=2^m$ . Given that the complex multiplications requires 4 real multiplications and 2 additions, the number of operations required to compute sines and cosines for this radix-2 FFT is:

$$\text{real mult} = 4 \sum_{k=1}^m (2^{k-1}) \quad (3.87)$$

$$\text{real add} = 2 \sum_{k=1}^m (2^{k-1}) \quad (3.88)$$

$$\text{sine and cosine calls} = m \quad (3.89)$$

The real operations required to compute the sine and cosine lookup tables for the radix-3 and 5 algorithms is less complex than the radix-2 FFT. In these algorithms the difference equation from Section 3.1 is used to compute sine and cosine lookup tables which have length  $N$ . Because of the symmetry of  $\sin(k) = -\sin(-k)$  only  $N/2$  computations of the difference equations are required. The equations are given by:

$$WKC(I) = C * WKC(I-1) - S * WKS(I-1) + WKC(I-1)$$

$$WKS(I) = C * WKS(I-1) + S * WKC(I-1) + WKS(I-1)$$

which need a total of 4 real multiplications and 10 additions to compute. For an  $N$  length sequence computing the lookup tables require:

$$\text{real mult} = 4(N/2) = 2N \quad (3.90)$$

$$\text{real add} = 10(N/2) = 5N$$

### 3.3.4 Number of Real Operations in Radix-p FFTs.

Based on the general expressions in Eqs (3.82) through (3.91) the total number of real multiplications can be determined given  $N=p^m$  where  $N$ ,  $p$ , and  $m$  are integers. First, each radix- $p$  butterfly computation requires multiplications or additions or both to be evaluated. The exact number of multiplies and adds is determined from the FORTRAN code as shown below. Second, each complex twiddle factor multiplication requires 4 real multiplications and 2 real additions. Third, the number of real operations to compute the sines and cosines is added to the butterflies and twiddle factors to give the total operations count for each algorithm.

For the case of  $N=2^m$  it was shown in the radix-2 Section 3.2.1 that the radix-2 butterfly can be computed with 4 real additions and no multiplications. This radix-2 butterfly can be computed with 4 real additions and no multiplications. This radix-2 FFT does not eliminate all multiplications by  $W_N^0$ . Therefore each radix-2 butterfly is multiplied by a complex twiddle factor as shown in Figure 3.8. For this particular radix-2 FFT the number of twiddle factors equal the number of butterflies. Combining all sources of real operations for the radix-2 FFT gives a total of:

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{real mult} &= (\# \text{ mult per butterfly}) * (\# \text{ butterflies}) \\
&+ 4 (\# \text{ twiddle factors}) \\
&+ 4 (\# \text{ types of twiddle factors})
\end{aligned} \tag{3.92}$$

Substituting the appropriate values for the radix-2 gives:

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{real mult} &= (0) * (mN/2) + 4*(mN/2) + 4 * \left( \sum_{k=1}^m 2^{k-1} \right) \\
&= 2mN + 4 \sum_{k=1}^m 2^{k-1}
\end{aligned} \tag{3.93}$$

Likewise for the number of real additions:

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{real adds} &= (\# \text{ adds per butterfly}) * (\# \text{ butterflies}) \\
&+ 2 (\# \text{ twiddle factors}) \\
&+ 2 (\# \text{ types of twiddle factors})
\end{aligned} \tag{3.94}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{real adds} &= 4 * (mN/2) + 2*(mN/2) + 2 * \left( \sum_{k=1}^m 2^{k-1} \right) \\
&= 3mN + 2 \sum_{k=1}^m 2^{k-1}
\end{aligned} \tag{3.95}$$

For the radix-p FFTs where p is an odd prime it has been shown by Singleton, 1969, that these butterflies can be evaluated using  $(p-1)^2$  real multiplications. The FORTRAN coded radix-3 and radix-5 in Appendices B and D require 4 real multiplications and 12 additions for radix-3 butterfly and 16 real multiplications and 30 additions for radix-2 butterflies. Using these in Eqs (3.87) and (3.91) yields the total real operations for the radix-3 as:

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{real mult} &= (4 \text{ mult per butterfly}) * mN/3 \\
&+ 4(mN(3-1)/3 - (N-1)) + 2N \\
&= 4mN/3 + 8mN/3 - 4(N-1) + 2N \\
&= 4mN - 4(N-1) + 2N
\end{aligned} \tag{3.96}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{real adds} &= (12 \text{ adds per butterfly}) * mN/3 \\
&+ 2(mN(3-1)/3 - (N-1)) + 5N \\
&= 12mN/3 + 4mN/3 - 2(N-1) + 5N \\
&= 16mN/3 - 2(N-1) + 5N
\end{aligned} \tag{3.97}$$

Similarly the real operations count for the radix-5 FFT becomes:

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{real mult} &= (16 \text{ mult per butterfly}) * mN/5 \\
&+ 4(mN(5-1)/5 - (N-1)) + 2N \\
&= 16mN/5 + 16mN/5 - 4(N-1) + 2N \\
&= 32mN/5 - 4(N-1) + 2N
\end{aligned} \tag{3.98}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{real adds} &= (30 \text{ adds per butterfly}) * mN/5 \\
&+ 2(mN(5-1)/5 - (N-1)) + 5N \\
&= 30mN/5 + 8mN/5 - 2(N-1) + 5N \\
&= 38mN/5 - 2(N-1) + 5N
\end{aligned} \tag{3.99}$$

The results of Eqs (3.92) through (3.99) are given in Table 3.1 for N between 8 and 16,000. This table also summarizes the possible values of N for the fixed radix-2, 3, and 5 FFTs.

### 3.3.5 Real Operations Count for the Radix-3 FFT

Using the Complex Cube Root of Unity. This algorithm represents an alternative to the conventional radix-3 FFT. It is shown in this section that selective use of this

TABLE 3.1  
REAL OPERATIONS COUNT FOR RADIX-2, 3 AND 5

<u>N</u>	<u>Radix</u>	<u>Multiplications</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Trig Library</u>
8	$2^3$	76	86	3
9	$3^2$	58	125	1
16	$2^4$	188	222	4
25	$5^2$	274	457	1
27	$3^3$	274	515	1
32	$2^5$	444	542	5
64	$2^6$	1020	1278	6
81	$3^4$	1138	1973	1
125	$5^3$	2154	3227	1
128	$2^7$	2300	2942	7
243	$3^5$	4378	7211	1
256	$2^8$	5116	6654	8
512	$2^9$	11260	14846	9
625	$5^4$	14754	20877	1
729	$3^6$	15142	25517	1
1024	$2^{10}$	24572	32766	10
2048	$2^{11}$	53244	71678	11
2187	$3^7$	56866	88211	1
3125	$5^5$	93754	128127	1
4096	$2^{12}$	114664	155646	12
6561	$3^8$	196834	299621	1
8192	$2^{13}$	245756	335870	13
15625	$5^6$	568754	759377	1

algorithm can reduce the number of real operations depending on the sequence length  $N$ .

The radix-3 FFT in the  $R(u)$  field has four sources or real multiplications (where  $N=3^m$ ):

1.  $2mn/3 - (N-1)$  complex twiddle factors derived in Section 3.3.3.
2. Conversion from complex to  $R(u)$  of  $\sum_{i=2}^m 2(3^i - 1)$  twiddle factors derived from FORTRAN code in Appendix C.
3. Conversion of complex array of length  $N$  to the  $R(u)$  field derived from the FORTRAN code.
4. Conversion of  $R(u)$  array length  $N$  back to the complex field derived from the FORTRAN code.

The radix-3 in  $R(u)$  has five sources of real additions:

1.  $mn/3$  butterflies derived in Section 3.3.3.
2. The four sources of real multiplies listed above.

Based on the FORTRAN code in Appendix C, there are three real multiplications per complex twiddle factor, two per twiddle factor conversion, two per conversion from complex to the  $R(u)$  field, and two per conversion from  $R(u)$  to the complex field. Condensing the above into an equation for real multiplications yields:

$$\text{real mult} = 3(2mn/3 - N + 1) + 2 \sum_{i=2}^m 2(3^i - 1) + 4N \quad (3.100)$$

There are 14 real additions per butterfly, six per twiddle factor, one per twiddle factor conversion, one per conversion to  $R(u)$  array, and one per conversion to complex array. Expressing the total number of real additions as a function of the above yields:

$$\text{real adds} = 14 \ln N/3 + 6(2 \ln N/3 - N+1)$$

$$+ \sum_{i=2}^m 2(3^{i-1} - 1) + 2N \quad (3.101)$$

The results for the number of real multiplications and additions for both radix-3 algorithms is given in Table 3.2 for  $N=27$  to  $N=19683$ . Because the  $R(u)$  radix-3 requires more multiplications and additions for  $N=27$  and  $81$  it will always run slower than the complex field radix-3 FFT. But, for  $N=243$  and higher the  $R(u)$  radix-3 may run faster depending upon the speed of additions relative to multiplications for the computer being used to perform the FFTs.

Table 3.2 also gives the "Add to Multiply Ratio" required for the  $R(u)$  field radix-3 FFT to run faster than the conventional radix-3 FFT. (The ratio is the difference in the number of multiplies divided by the difference in the number of additions.) For the case of  $N=729$ , a multiply operation must take 3.77 times longer than an addition before the  $R(u)$  field radix-3 can run faster than the complex field radix-3. This means that prior to selecting either of the algorithms the relative costs of additions to multiplications must be known as well as the length of the data sequence.

**3.3.6 Memory Requirements for Fixed Radix FFTs.** A major consideration for selecting a particular FFT algorithm is the sequence length and memory required to execute the subroutine relative to the memory available in the computer. For this reason the memory requirements



TABLE 3.2  
COMPARISON BETWEEN COMPLEX AND R(u)  
RADIX-3 FFT FOR REAL OPERATIONS\*

N	Complex	Radix-3	R(u)		Add to
	Real Mult	Real Adds	Real Mult	Real Adds	Mult Ratio
27	220	380	232	624	NA
81	976	1568	1284	2562	NA
243	3892	5996	3140	9796	5.05
729	14584	21872	10912	35714	3.77
2187	52492	77276	37152	126108	3.18
6561	183712	266816	124628	435202	2.85
19683	629360	905420	413308	1476212	2.63

\* Does not include computing sine and cosine terms

for the radix-2, 3, and 5 FFTs is given here as a function of sequence length  $N$ . The program memory and data array storage requirements for each algorithm are enumerated below.

The program memory, required by each routine was determined from a "load map" generated by the command MAP, PART. The array storage requirements were determined by inspection of the DIMENSION statements in the FORTRAN code for each subroutine listed in Appendix A to D. The results are:

<u>FFT</u>	<u>Program</u>	<u>Arrays</u>
Radix-2	108	$2N$
Radix-3	301	$4N + M + 30$
Radix-3 in R(u)	396	$4N + M + 30$
Radix-5	458	$4N + M + 30$

The memory arrays required for each algorithm as a function of  $N$  are listed in Table 3.3. The program memory was not included because it is dependent on machine word size which varies from machine to machine.

### 3.4 Mixed Radix FFT Algorithms

Up to this point only fixed radix FFTs have been discussed. Explanation and programming for the special cases where  $N=2^m$  or  $3^m$  or  $5^m$  are simpler than the general case of  $N=p_1p_2\dots p_m$ , and for most applications the restricted choice of values is adequate. However, when the application does not permit "zeropacking" of the data sequence to reach one of the special cases a wider choice of  $N$  is needed.

TABLE 3.3  
FIXED RADIX MEMORY REQUIRED

<u>N</u>	<u>Memory Array</u>
8	16
9	68
16	32
25	132
27	141
32	64
64	128
81	358
125	533
128	256
243	1007
256	512
512	1024
625	2534
729	2952
1024	2048
2048	4096
2187	8820

Singleton first published a mixed radix FFT algorithm in June 1969 which has been widely used and implemented on large and small computers. This algorithm is listed in Appendix F. (The International Mathematical Scientific Library (IMSL) which is available on the WPAFB CDC Cyber 74 computer has a mixed radix FFT based on Singleton's work). Also the author has written and tested a mixed radix algorithm which is listed in Appendix E. The theory, digit reversal, real operations count, and memory requirements for these algorithms is discussed in the following sections.

3.4.1 Mixed Radix Theory. All FFT theory can be developed by representing a one-dimensional sequence  $N$  as several two dimensional matrices and performing operations on these matrices. Understanding this approach when exposed to it for the first time is difficult. For this reason the matrix development is presented here and then a specific example of  $N=30$  is treated to increase understanding of the technique.

The complex Fourier transform is defined as:

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) \exp(-j2\pi nk/N) \quad (3.102)$$

For  $k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$  where  $X(k)$  and  $x(n)$  are both complex valued. Eq (3.102) can be expressed as a matrix multiplication:

$$X = TX$$

The matrix  $T$  can be decimated-in-time (Cooley and Tukey, 1965) or frequency (Gentleman and Sande, 1966) to produce equally efficient factoring:

$$T = P P_r P_{r-1} \cdots P_2 P_1$$

where  $P_i$  is the decimation corresponding to the factor

$$n_i \text{ of: } N = n_r n_{r-1} \cdots n_2 n_1$$

and  $P$  is the permutation (digit reversal) matrix (Singleton, 1969). The matrix  $P_i$  has only  $n_i$  nonzero elements on each row and column and also be partitioned into  $N/n_i$  square submatrices of dimension  $n_i$ ; it is this partition that is the basis for these (mixed radix) algorithms" (Singleton, 1969). The matrices  $P_i$  can be further factored into:

$$F_i = R_i T_i \quad (3.103)$$

where  $R_i$  is the diagonal matrix of twiddle (rotation) factors. Using these twiddle factors enable the trigonometric symmetries and complex multipliers (e.g.,  $e^{j\pi}$ ,  $e^{j\pi/2}$ , ...,  $e^{j\pi/N}$ ) to be exploited in the FFT butterflies and reduce the number of real operations. A specific decimation-in-time example is now considered which uses the above ideas.

Given an  $N$ -point sequence for which the  $N$ -point DFT is desired, the integer  $N$  can be factored into a product of smaller integers assuming  $N$  is not prime. The successive factorization of one number into two can result in any possible combination. If  $N=30$ , it can be factored as  $5 \cdot 6$  and then as  $5 \cdot 3 \cdot 2$ . The first decomposition is shown in Figure 3.17 and is presented as six 5-point DFTs followed by five 6-point DFTs. The next stage of decomposition is from  $5 \cdot 6$  to  $5 \cdot 3 \cdot 2$  and is shown in Figure 3.18. Starting with the DFT expression in Eq (3.99) the sequence can

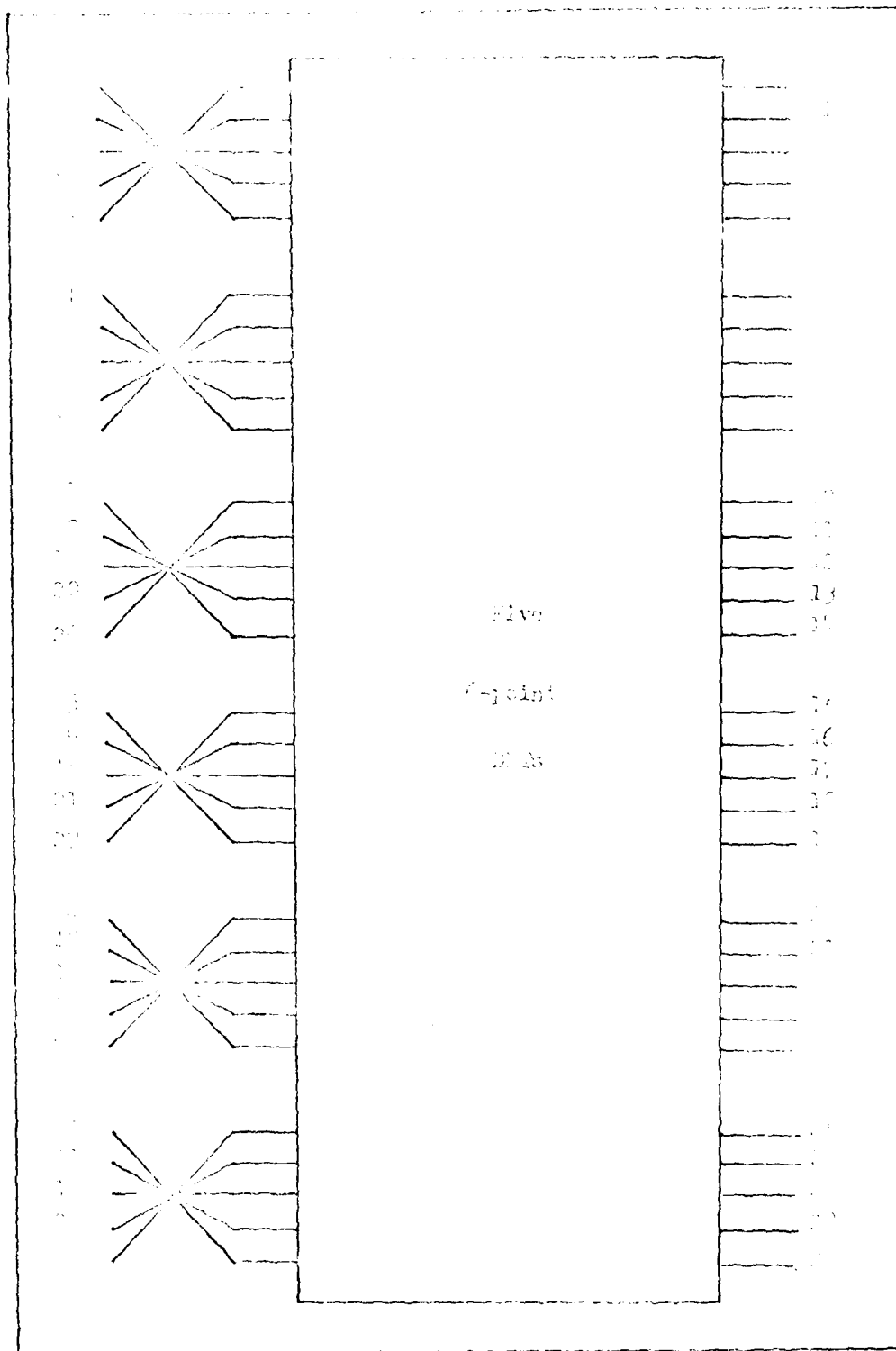


Figure 3.17. First Decomposition N: 30.

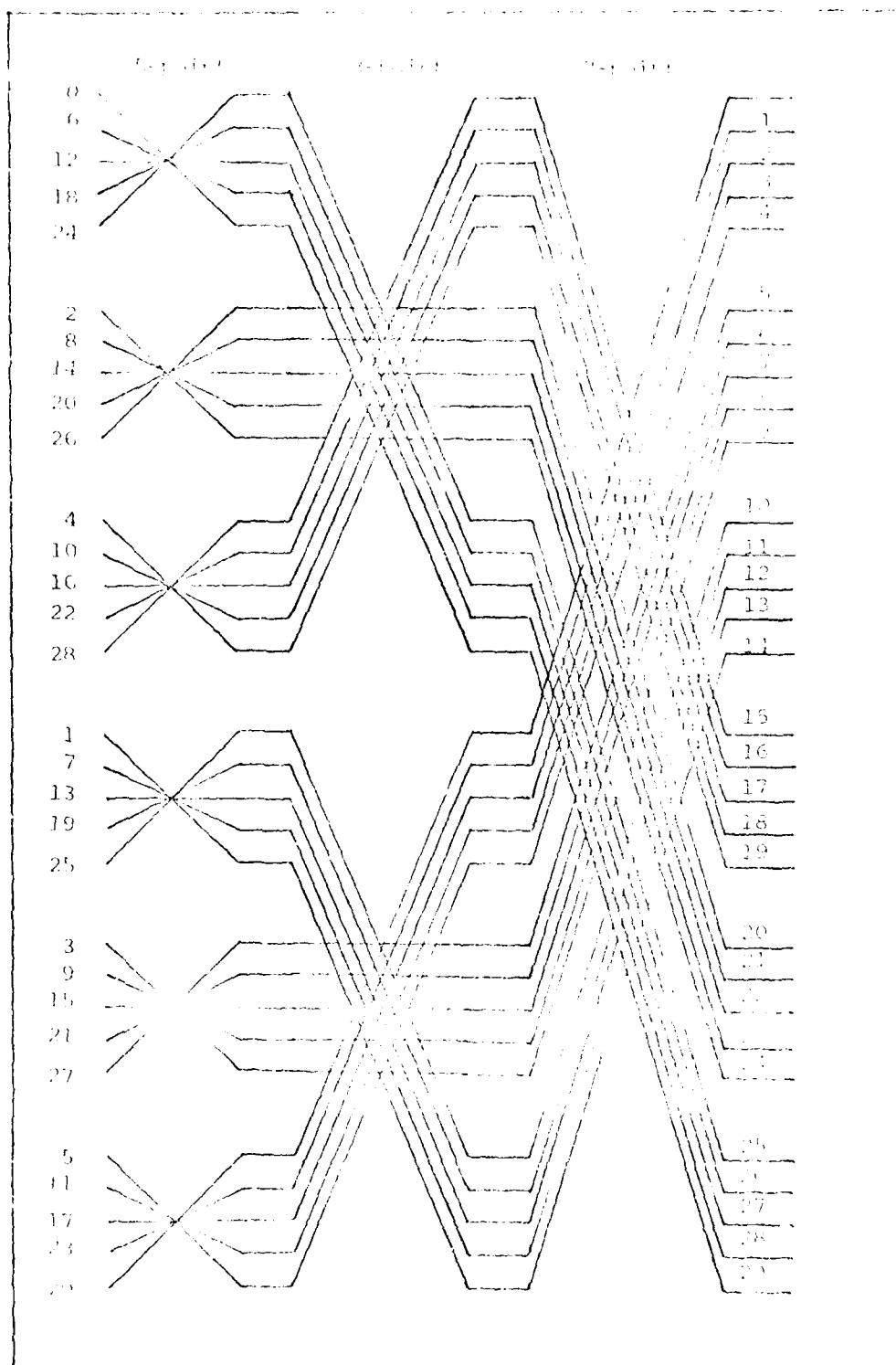


Figure 3.18. Butterfly Flowgraph for N=30.

be factored into  $N = p \cdot q = 5 \cdot 6$  (representing a 5 by 6 matrix) and the expression becomes:

$$X(k) = \sum_{m=0}^{p-1} W_N^{mk} \sum_{r=0}^{q-1} x(pr+m) W_N^{prk} \quad (3.104)$$

Now the inner sums can be expressed as the  $q$ -point DFTs:

$$G_m(k) = \sum_{r=0}^{q-1} x(pr+m) W_q^{rk} \quad (3.105)$$

since

$$W_N^{prk} = \exp(-j2\pi prk/N) = \exp(-j2\pi prk/pq) = W_q^{rk} \quad (3.106)$$

Using  $p=5$  and  $q=6$  in Eq (3.104) produces:

$$X(k) = \sum_{m=0}^4 W_{30}^{mk} \sum_{r=0}^5 x(5r+m) W_{30}^{5rk} \quad (3.107)$$

The inner sum in Eq (3.107) is a 6-point DFT which can be decomposed into a 3 by 2 matrix by dividing the sequences  $x(5r+m)$  into three sequences, each two points long. The inner summation in Eq (3.107) can be represented using the notation of Eq (3.104) as:

$$G(k) = \sum_{s=0}^{p-1} W_N^{sk} \sum_{t=0}^{q-1} g(pt+s) W_N^{ptk} \quad (3.108)$$

where  $N$  is now equal  $p \cdot q = 3 \cdot 2$ . Substituting  $p$  and  $q$  yields:

$$G(k) = \sum_{s=0}^2 W_6^{sk} \sum_{t=0}^1 g(3t+s) W_6^{3tk} \quad (3.109)$$



This expression in Eq (3.109) can be substituted into

Eq (3.107) to give:

$$X(k) = \sum_{m=0}^4 W_{30}^{mk} \sum_{s=0}^2 W_6^{sk} \sum_{t=0}^1 x(15t+5s+m) W_2^{tk} \quad (3.110)$$

where

$$r = 3t+s$$

$$g(3t+s) = x(5(3t+s)+m) = x(15t+5s+m)$$

$$W_6^{3tk} = \exp(-j2\pi \cdot 3tk/6) = \exp(-j2\pi \cdot tk/2) = W_2^{tk}$$

$$m = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4$$

$$s = 0, 1, 2$$

$$t = 0, 1$$

The complete flowgraph is shown in Figure 3.18 and implements Eq (3.110).

**3.4.2 Digit Reversal Algorithm (General).** The permutation matrix  $P$  is required because the transformed result is in a digit reversed order. Given a factorization of  $N = n_m n_{m-1} \dots n_2 n_1$ , the Fourier coefficient of  $X(k)$  with:

$$k = k_m n_{m-1} n_{m-2} \dots n_1 + \dots + k_2 n_1 + k_1 \quad (3.111)$$

is found in location:

$$k' = k_1 n_2 n_3 \dots n_m + k_2 n_3 n_4 \dots n_m + \dots + k_m \quad (3.112)$$

In general the interchange of  $k$  with  $k'$  can be done "in place" if  $N$  is factored such that (Singleton, 1977):

$$n_i = n_{m-i} \quad (3.113)$$

for  $i$  less than  $n-i$ . For this factoring  $k$  can be counted in natural order and  $k'$  in digit reversed order as described for fixed-radix algorithm bit-reversal.

To implement this technique for mixed radices  $N$  is factored into its prime factors and the "square" factors arranged symmetrically around the "square-free" factors of  $N$ . For example, let  $N=270$  and be factored as:

$$3 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 3$$

Now the reordering,  $P$ , is factored into:

$$P = P_1 P_2 \quad (3.114)$$

The reordering  $P_1$  is "associated with the square factors of  $n$  and is done by pair interchanges as previously described, except that the digits of  $n$  corresponding to the square-free factors are held constant and the digits of the square factors are exchanged symmetrically" (Singleton, 1977). For example, if:

$$N = n_1 n_2 n_3 n_4 n_5 n_6 n_7 \quad (3.115)$$

with  $n_1 = n_7$ ,  $n_2 = n_6$ , and  $n_3, n_4, n_5$  relatively prime, the interchange associated with the square factors  $n_1, n_7, n_2$ , and  $n_6$  is given by:

$$\begin{aligned} k = & k_7 n_6 n_5 \dots n_1 + k_6 n_5 n_4 \dots n_1 + k_5 n_4 n_3 n_2 n_1 \\ & + k_4 n_3 n_2 n_1 + k_3 n_2 n_1 + k_2 n_1 + k_1 \end{aligned} \quad (3.116)$$

interchanged with:

$$\begin{aligned} k' = & k_1 n_6 n_5 \dots n_1 + k_2 n_5 n_4 \dots n_1 + k_5 n_4 n_3 n_2 n_1 \\ & + k_4 n_3 n_2 n_1 + k_3 n_2 n_1 + k_5 n_1 + k_6 \end{aligned} \quad (3.117)$$

This reordering  $P_1$  in this example places each element of  $X(k)$  in the correct segment of length  $N/n_1 n_2$ , grouped in "subsequences" of  $n_1 n_2$  consecutive elements (Singleton, 1977). The next reordering  $P_2$  then finished the reordering of each  $n_3 n_4 n_5$  subsequences within each  $N/n_1 n_2$  segment.

The above factorization is used in the Singleton and IMSL mixed radix algorithms and generates a complicated FORTRAN code. A simpler alternative factorization was written by the author and used in his mixed radix algorithm. The simpler algorithm requires an additional two arrays of length  $N$  to store the intermediate results which detracts from the algorithms utility when longer sequence lengths are transformed. The details of this factorization are presented in Appendix E for interested readers.

3.4.3 Twiddle Factors. In Section 3.4.2 the factoring into  $F_i$  was described corresponding to a factor  $n_i$ .  $F_i$  can be factored to give a product  $R_i T_i$  where the matrix  $T_i$  is one of  $N/n_i$  identical Fourier transforms of dimension  $n_i$  and  $R_i$  is a diagonal twiddle factor matrix. The elements of  $R_i$  are specified by the decimation-in-frequency version of the FFT (Singleton, 1977).

The twiddle factor matrix  $R_i$  multiplies each transform  $T_i$  of dimension  $n_i$  by  $e^{j(Z)}$  where  $Z$  is an angle from the set:

$$0, Z, 2Z, \dots, (n_i-1)Z \quad (3.118)$$

and  $Z = 2\pi/N$ . No multiplication is needed for the zero angle which gives at most  $N(n_i-1)/n_i$  complex multiplications

for each transform step  $T_i$  (Sternberg, 1977). Additionally, the last stage of a decimation-in-frequency FFT requires no twiddles and the number of complex multiplications can be further reduced by  $(N-1)$ . Given a factorization of  $N = P_m P_{m-1} \dots P_2 P_1$  the number of twiddle factors for an  $N$  length sequence is

$$\sum_{i=1}^m (N(n_i-1)/n_i) = (N-1) \quad (3.119)$$

This result is used in computing the number of real multiplications and additions required by an  $N$  length FFT.

3.4.4 Real Operations Count for Computing Sine and Cosine Difference Equation. Recall from Section 3.1 that trigonometric values used in an FFT can be computed using the difference equations:

$$\cos((k+1)a) = (C \cdot \cos(ka) - S \cdot \sin(ka)) + \cos(ka) \quad (3.120)$$

$$\sin((k+1)a) = (C \cdot \sin(ka) + S \cdot \cos(ka)) + \sin(ka) \quad (3.121)$$

where  $a = 2\pi/N$  radians

$$C = -2 \sin^2(a/2)$$

$$S = \sin(a)$$

$$\cos(0) = 1$$

$$\sin(0) = 0$$

In the case of the author's mixed radix FFT the difference equations are computed  $N$  times and the sine and cosine results stored in two lookup tables. The difference equations are given by:

$$WKC(I) = C * WKC(I-1) - S * WKS(I-1) + WKC(I-1) \quad (3.122)$$

$$WKS(I) = C * WKS(I-1) + S * WKC(I-1) + WKS(I-1) \quad (3.123)$$

Eqs (3.122) and (3.123) require 4 real multiplications and 10 real additions each time they are computed. Given they are computed  $N$  times, the operations count is given by:

$$\text{real mult} = 4N \quad (3.124)$$

$$\text{real adds} = 10N \quad (3.125)$$

The IMSL and Singleton FFTs do not use the sine and cosine lookup tables in order to save memory arrays. Instead the sine and cosine values are computed as needed in the FFT program resulting in an intricate FORTRAN code. It was determined from the FORTRAN coded IMSL and Singleton FFTs that both utilize the same method of computing the sine and cosine difference equations. For this reason only the Singleton FFT algorithm was studied.

An algorithm which computes the number of real operations required was interpolated from "counters" placed in the FFT FORTRAN code in Appendix F. They provided the number of times that each section of the FFT subroutine was used to compute the sine and cosine values for different values of  $N$ . The labels for the counters are shown below along with the lines of FORTRAN code where they were positioned. The lines of code are shown in Appendix F.

- I2C: Counter for the radix-2 difference equation in lines 2330 - 2340.
- I2CL: Counter for the radix-2 sine and cosine library calls in lines 2650 - 2660.
- I4C1: Counter for the radix-4 section which computes the sine and cosine terms of the  $W_N^k$  log of the radix-4 in lines 3030 - 3040. Refer to Figure 3.19 which shows the radix-4 butterfly flowgraph.

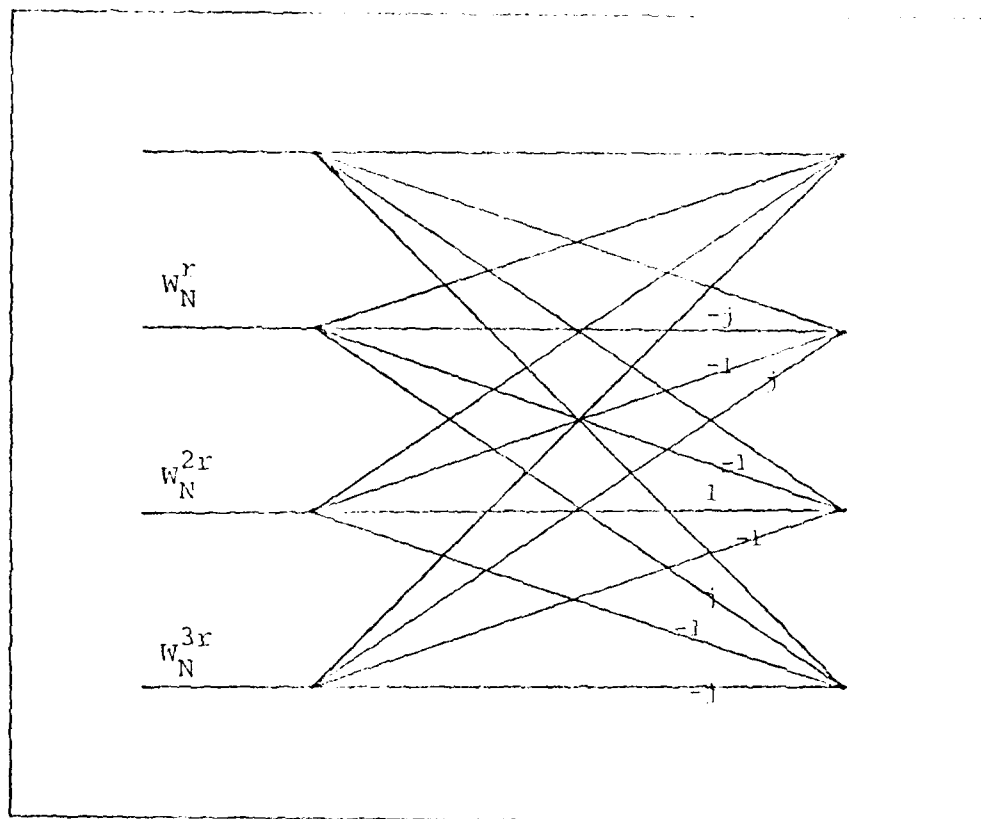


Figure 3.19. Radix-4 Butterfly Flowgraph Showing the 4 Twiddle Factor Multipliers.

- I4C2: Counter for the radix-4 section which computes the sine and cosine terms of the  $W_N^{2k}$  and  $W_N^{3k}$  legs of the radix-4 butterfly flowgraph in lines 3140 - 3170.
- I4CL: Counter for radix-4 sine and cosine library calls in lines 3690 - 3700.
- IGTF: Counter for the general twiddle factors section in lines 4990 - 5000, which computes the sine and cosine for the  $W_N^k$  leg of the general radix-p FFT.
- IGTFE: Counter for the general twiddle factors section which computes the sine and cosine for the remainder of the radix-p butterfly legs in lines 5170 - 5190.
- IGTFL: Counter for the general radix-p sine and cosine library calls in lines 5290 - 5300.

Data was collected for over 70 values of N using these counters. A subset of the values were the 59 permissible sequence lengths of PFA and WFTA. Based on the results of these tests and study of the FORTRAN code FFT in Appendix F the general expressions for these counters were determined. Given that:

$N$  = sequence length

$NFAC(i)$  = factors of  $N$  (as factored by the Singleton subroutine)

$M$  = number of factors of  $N$

$KSPAN_i = N / (NFAC(1) * NFAC(2) \dots * (NFAC(i-1)))$

then

$I2C_i = (KSPAN_i - 3)/2$  for  $KSPAN_i \geq 4$  and odd

$I2C_i = (KSPAN_i - 2)/2$  for  $KSPAN_i \geq 4$  and even

$I2C_i = 0$  for  $KSPAN_i < 4$

For the factors of 2 in N the expression for I2C becomes:

$$I2C = \sum_{i=1}^k (I2C_i) \quad \text{for } k \text{ factors of 2 in } N \quad (3.126)$$

The expression for the number of sine and cosine calls during computation of a factor of 2 is  $[KSPAN_i/70]$  where  $[\cdot]$  represents truncation of the result inside the brackets. Using the "truncation" notation:

$$I2CL = \sum_{i=1}^k [KSPAN_i/70] \quad (3.127)$$

The radix-4 section uses the same notational conventions for KSPAN and truncation. The expressions for I4C1, I4C2, and I4CL become:

$$I4C2_i = KSPAN_i - 1 \quad (3.128)$$

$$I4CL_i = [KSPAN_i/32] \quad (3.129)$$

$$I4C1_i = I4C2_i - I4CL_i \quad (3.130)$$

For all factors of 4 in N the expression becomes:

$$I4C2 = \sum_{i=1}^k (KSPAN_i - 1) \quad (3.131)$$

$$I4CL = \sum_{i=1}^k [KSPAN_i/32] \quad (3.132)$$

$$I4C1 = I4C2 - I4CL$$

where there are k factors of 4 in N.

The general expressions for IGTF, IGTFE, and IGTFE were derived to be:

$$IGTFE_i = [KSPAN_i/32] \quad (3.134)$$

$$IGTF_i = KSPAN_i - IGTFE_i - 2 \quad (3.135)$$



$$\text{IGTFE}_i = (\text{KSPAN}_i - 1)(\text{NFAC}(i) - 1) \quad (3.136)$$

The result for the general radix-p section becomes:

$$\text{IGTF} = \sum_{i=1}^k \text{IGTF}_i \quad (3.137)$$

$$\text{IGTFL} = \sum_{i=1}^k \text{IGTFL}_i \quad (3.138)$$

$$\text{IGTFE} = \sum_{i=1}^k \text{IGTFE}_i \quad (3.139)$$

Eqs (3.124) through (3.139) were programmed in FORTRAN and then tabulated as a function of N in Table 3.4. These results identically match the tests conducted using the counters.

Examining the FORTRAN code where the counters were located gives the number of operations performed each time one of the counters was incremented. These results are presented in Table 3.5 for all the counters. The number of real operations, sine and cosine library calls, and exponentiations can be determined for all N length sequences by using Tables 3.4 and 3.5. The general expressions are given by:

$$\text{KADD} = 4(\text{I2C} + \text{I4C2} + \text{IGTF}) + 3(\text{I4C1}) + 2(\text{IGTFL}) \quad (3.140)$$

$$\text{KMULT} = 4(\text{I2C} + \text{I4C2} + \text{IGTF} + \text{IGTFL}) + 6(\text{I4C1}) \quad (3.141)$$

$$\text{KEXP} = 2(\text{I4C1}) \quad (3.142)$$

3.4.5 Real Operations Count for Mixed FFTs. The real operations count is derived from the number of complex twiddle factors, the number of butterflies, and the number of sine and cosine terms computed using difference equations.

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TABLE 3.5  
OPERATIONS EXECUTED FOR EACH COUNTER

<u>Counter</u>	<u>Real Add</u>	<u>Real Mult</u>	<u>Exponen- tiation</u>	<u>Sine Calls</u>	<u>Cosine Calls</u>
I2C	4	4	0	0	0
I2C1	0	0	0	1	1
I4C1	3	6	2	0	0
I4C2	4	4	0	0	0
I4C11	0	0	0	1	1
IGTF	4	4	0	0	0
IGTFE	2	4	0	0	0
IGTFL	0	0	0	1	1

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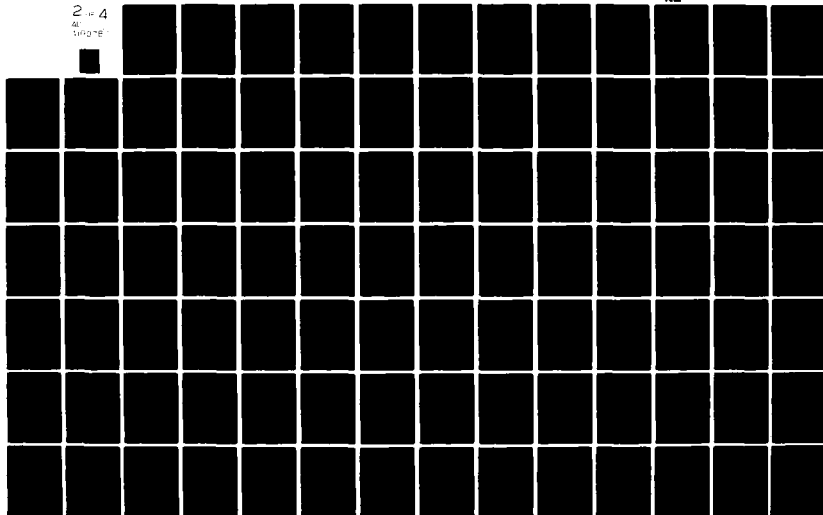
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Given that N is factored as:

$$N = p_1 p_2 \cdots p_m \quad (3.143)$$

the number of twiddle factors has been shown (Singleton, 1969) to be:

$$\sum_{i=1}^m (N(p_i - 1)/p_i) - (N-1) \quad (3.144)$$

where m is the total number of factors of N. The number of butterflies required for an N length sequence is given by:

$$\sum_{i=1}^m (N/p_i) \quad (3.145)$$

The total real operations count is determined by adding (a) the number of real multiplications and additions required per butterfly times Eq (3.145), plus (b) the complex twiddle factor multiplications times Eq (3.144), plus (c) the number of additions and multiplications given by Eq (3.140) and (3.141).

Assuming a complex multiplication requires four real multiplications and two additions a general expression for the real operations count can be determined for the mixed radix FFTs.

Singleton's mixed radix algorithm contains special transform sections for factors of 2, 3, 4, and 5 as well as a general section for other odd factors. This requires that N be represented as:

$$N = 2^r 3^s 4^t 5^u p_1^{m_1} p_2^{m_2} \cdots p_k^{m_k} \quad (3.146)$$

The IMSL mixed radix FFT (FFTCC) does not have a special section for factors of 5 and uses the general section to transform these factors. The author's mixed radix FFT (FFTMR) has sections for 2, 3, 4, and 5 but does not have the general transform section. Only the detailed development of operations count for Singleton's algorithm is presented here because the other two algorithms are subsets thereof. The general expressions for real operations versus N are given for the other two algorithms in Appendix G and H.

The radix-2 section of the FORTRAN code for Singleton's algorithm is shown in Figure 3.20. For factors of two the twiddle (rotation) factor complex multiplications are computed in this section rather than the "general rotation section" to reduce the array indexing required. Using Eq (3.144) the total number of butterflies is  $rN/2$  and from Eq (3.145) the total number of twiddle factors is  $rN/2$  (neglecting the  $-(N-1)$  term which will be subtracted once the complete real operations count for all factors has been developed). The transform for factor of 2 (refer to Figure 3.20) is computed in lines 2200-2230 using 4 real additions, if no twiddles are required, or it is computed in lines 2450-2500 if twiddles are necessary. The general expression for factors of two becomes:

$$\text{real mult} = 4(rN/2) = 2rN \quad (3.147)$$

$$\text{real adds} = 4(rN/2) + 2(rN/2) = 3rN \quad (3.148)$$

The factors of 3 section shown in Figure 3.21 performs only the butterfly in this section and uses the general

Figure 3.20. Radix-2 Section of Singleton's FFT.



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2700=      IF 04.11.000 60 TO 100
2710=      GO TO 280
2720=      IF 04.11.000 60 TO 100
2730=      GO TO 280
2740=      IF 04.11.000 60 TO 100
2750=      GO TO 280
2760=      IF 04.11.000 60 TO 100
2770=      GO TO 280
2780=      IF 04.11.000 60 TO 100
2790=      GO TO 280
2800=      IF 04.11.000 60 TO 100
2810=      GO TO 280
2820=      IF 04.11.000 60 TO 100
2830=      GO TO 280
2840=      IF 04.11.000 60 TO 100
2850=      GO TO 280
2860=      IF 04.11.000 60 TO 100
2870=      GO TO 280
2880=      IF 04.11.000 60 TO 100
2890=      GO TO 280
2900=      IF 04.11.000 60 TO 100
2910=      GO TO 280
2920=      IF 04.11.000 60 TO 100
2930=      GO TO 280

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Figure 3.21. Radix-3 Section of Singleton's FFT.

rotation (twiddle) section to twiddle the data (the general twiddle factor section is shown in Figure 3.24). Using Eqs (3.144) and (3.145) the number of butterflies for factors of 3 is  $sN/3$  and the number of complex twiddles is  $s(2N/3)$ . Examining lines 2760-2870 in Figure 3.21 shows 4 real multiplications and 12 real additions. Each complex twiddle requires 4 real multiplications and 2 real additions. The expression for the factors of 3 section becomes:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{real mult} &= 4(N/3)s + 4(2/3)Ns \\ &= 4sN\end{aligned}\tag{3.149}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{real adds} &= 12(N/3)s + 2(2/3)Ns \\ &= 16sN/3\end{aligned}\tag{3.150}$$

The factors of 4 section in Figures 3.22a and b include the twiddles in the butterfly section to minimize array indexing. The number of butterflies computed for  $t$  factors of 4 is  $tN/4$  and the number of complex twiddles is  $t(3N/4)$  from Eqs (3.144) and (3.145). From lines 3210-3320 and 3540-3570 the number of real additions per butterfly is 16. Every complex twiddle requires 4 real multiplications and 2 additions. Combining the butterfly and twiddle operations results in the general expression for factors of 4:

$$\text{real mult} = 4(3N/4)t = 3tN\tag{3.151}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{real adds} &= 2(3N/4)t + 16(N/4)t \\ &= 3tN/2 + 8tN/2 = 11tN/2\end{aligned}\tag{3.152}$$

The transform section for factors of 5 shown in Figure 3.23 computes the butterflies for the  $u$  factors of 5. There are  $uN/5$  butterflies and  $u(4N/5)$  complex twiddles based on

Figure 3.22a. Radix-4 Section of Singleton's FFT.

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8670=1
8671=1
8672=1
8673=1
8674=1
8675=1
8676=1
8677=1
8678=1
8679=1
8680=1
8681=1
8682=1
8683=1
8684=1
8685=1
8686=1
8687=1
8688=1
8689=1
8690=1
8691=1
8692=1
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8696=1
8697=1
8698=1
8699=1
8700=1
8701=1
8702=1
8703=1
8704=1
8705=1
8706=1
8707=1
8708=1
8709=1
8710=1
8711=1
8712=1
8713=1
8714=1
8715=1
8716=1
8717=1
8718=1
8719=1
8720=1
8721=1
8722=1
8723=1
8724=1
8725=1
8726=1
8727=1
8728=1
8729=1
8730=1

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Figure 3.22b. Radix-4 Section of Singleton's FFT.

3870=	$3870 = 3870 + 0$
3880=	$3880 = 3880 + 0$
3890=	$3890 = 3890 + 0$
3900=	$3900 = 3900 + 0$
3910=	$3910 = 3910 + 0$
3920=	$3920 = 3920 + 0$
3930=	$3930 = 3930 + 0$
3940=	$3940 = 3940 + 0$
3950=	$3950 = 3950 + 0$
3960=	$3960 = 3960 + 0$
3970=	$3970 = 3970 + 0$
3980=	$3980 = 3980 + 0$
3990=	$3990 = 3990 + 0$
4000=	$4000 = 4000 + 0$
4010=	$4010 = 4010 + 0$
4020=	$4020 = 4020 + 0$
4030=	$4030 = 4030 + 0$
4040=	$4040 = 4040 + 0$
4050=	$4050 = 4050 + 0$
4060=	$4060 = 4060 + 0$
4070=	$4070 = 4070 + 0$
4080=	$4080 = 4080 + 0$
4090=	$4090 = 4090 + 0$
4100=	$4100 = 4100 + 0$
4110=	$4110 = 4110 + 0$
4120=	$4120 = 4120 + 0$
4130=	$4130 = 4130 + 0$
4140=	$4140 = 4140 + 0$
4150=	$4150 = 4150 + 0$

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Eqs (3.144) and (3.145). Examination of lines 3820-4090 in Figure 3.23 shows 16 real multiplications and 32 real additions are required per butterfly. Combining the butterfly and complex twiddle operations provides the general expression for real operation for factors of 5:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{real mult} &= 16(N/5)u + 4(4N/5)u \\ &= 32uN/5\end{aligned}\tag{3.153}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{real adds} &= 32(N/5)u + 2(4N/5)u \\ &= 8uN\end{aligned}\tag{3.154}$$

where  $u$  is the number of factors of 5 in  $N$ .

The general transform section for odd prime factors is more complex than the special factors sections. To aid in describing the number of real operations a  $p$ -radix is defined such that  $p$  is an odd prime greater than 5 with an associated " $m_i$ " integer power. The real operations count for the general section does not include additions associated with array indexing nor does it count multiplications and additions needed to recursively compute the sine and cosine terms.

Based on the FORTRAN program for the odd factors shown in Figure 3.24a and b there are five sources of real operations for each  $p_i$  factor. The first source shown in lines 4310-4360 is computing the  $(p_i-1)/2$  complex multipliers for the butterfly legs which require:

$$\text{real mult} = 4(p_i-1)/2 = 2(p_i-1)\tag{3.155}$$

$$\text{real adds} = 2(p_i-1)/2 = (p_i-1)\tag{3.156}$$

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4370=      C1(0) = C1(0)*C1 + C1(1)*C1
4380=      C2(0) = C2(0)*C1 - C1(1)*C1
4390=      I = I + 1
4400=      CK(0) = CK(0)
4410=      CK(0) = -CK(0)
4420=      I = I + 1
4430=      IF (J.LT.1) GO TO 240
4440=      K1 = KK
4450=      K2 = KK + NSPAN
4460=      AA = A(KK)
4470=      BB = B(KK)
4480=      AK = AA
4490=      BK = BB
4500=      J = 1
4510=      K1 = K1 + NSPAN
4520=      K2 = K2 - NSPAN
4530=      J = J + 1
4540=      AT(J) = A(K1) + A(K2)
4550=      BK = AT(J) + BK
4560=      BT(J) = B(K1) + B(K2)
4570=      BK = BT(J) + BK
4580=      J = J + 1
4590=      AT(J) = A(K1) - A(K2)
4600=      BT(J) = B(K1) - B(K2)
4610=      K1 = K1 + NSPAN
4620=      IF (K1.LT.1) GO TO 260
4630=      A(KK) = A
4640=      B(KK) = B
4650=      K1 = KK
4660=      K2 = KK + NSPAN
4670=      J = 1
4680=      K1 = K1 + NSPAN
4690=      K2 = K2 - NSPAN
4700=      J = J + 1
4710=      AA = AA
4720=      BB = BB
4730=      AK = A(KK)
4740=      BK = B(KK)
4750=      I = I + 1
4760=      K = K + 1

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Figure 3.24a. General Factor Section of Singleton's FFT.

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4890= IF (XLT,1) GO TO 4910
4900= IF (XLT,1) GO TO 4910
4910= C1 = 0.5
4920= MULTIPLY C1 BY 0.5 TO GET C2 FOR VALUE OF C1
4930= C2 = 0.25
4940= IF (XLT,1) GO TO 4960
4950= C2 = 1.0 - C2
4960= S1 = SD
4970= MM = MIN(MORAN,PLIM)
4980= GO TO 500
4990= C2 = C1 - (C2*C1+S1*S1)
5000= C1 = C1 + (C2*C1-C2*S1)
5010=
5020= THE FOLLOWING THREE STATEMENTS COMPENSATE FOR TRUNCATION
5030= ERROR. IF ROUNDED ARITHMETIC IS USED, THEY MAY
5040= BE DELETED.
5050=
5060= C1 = 0.5*(C2**2+S1**2) + 0.5
5070= C1 = C1*C1
5080= C2 = C1*C2
5090= C1 = C2
5100= C2 = C1
5110= C1 = C1 + (C2-C1)
5120= C2 = C1 + (C2-C1)
5130= C1 = C1 + (C2-C1)
5140= C2 = C1 + (C2-C1)
5150= C1 = C1 + (C2-C1)
5160= IF (XLT,1) GO TO 5180
5170= C1 = C1 + C2
5180= C2 = C1*C2 + C1*C2
5190= C2 = C1*C2 + C1*C2
5200= C1 = C1 + C2 + (C2-C1)
5210= IF (XLT,1) GO TO 5230
5220= C1 = C1 + (C2-C1)
5230= IF (XLT,1) GO TO 5250
5240= IF (XLT,1) GO TO 5260
5250= C1 = C1 + (C2-C1) + C2 + INC

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Figure 3.24b. General Factor Section of Singleton's FFT.



These complex multipliers are computed only once for each new factor  $p_i$ , e.g., for  $N=28=7 \cdot 4$ , the factor 7 requires  $(7-1)/2$  complex multipliers. If  $N=196=7 \cdot 7 \cdot 4$  there are still only  $(7-1)/2$  complex multipliers needed.

The second source of real operations is produced by computing the butterfly transmittances which require only real additions. From Eq (3.145) there are  $(m_i)N/p_i$  butterflies required for the  $(m_i)$  factors of  $p_i$ . For each butterfly there are  $(p_i-1)/2$  transmittances which require only real additions. Examining lines 4470-4540 in Figure 3.24a show that the  $(p_i-1)/2$  transmittances require 6 additions. Combining these results produces the general expression for the real additions:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{real adds} &= (6(p_i-1)/2)(m_i)N/p_i \\ &= 3N(m_i)(p_i-1)/p_i \end{aligned} \quad (3.157)$$

The third source of operations is produced by the  $(p_i-1)^2/4$  butterfly transmittances which require real multiplications and additions. Lines 4510-4750 in Figure 3.24b show there are 4 real multiplications and 4 real additions needed. Combining this with the number of transmittances and butterflies gives:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{real mult} &= 4((m_i)N/p_i)((p_i-1)^2/4) \\ &= (m_i)N(p_i-1)^2/p_i \end{aligned} \quad (3.158)$$

$$\text{real adds} = (m_i)N(p_i-1)^2/p_i \quad (3.159)$$

The final source results from computing the  $(p_i-1)/2$  butterfly operations for each  $(mi)N/p_i$  butterfly. Examining lines 4800-4830 show that this function requires 4 real additions. Combining these results give the total as:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{real adds} &= ((mi)N/p_i)4(p_i-1)/2 \\ &= 2(mi)N(p_i-1)/p_i \end{aligned} \quad (3.160)$$

The final source of real operations is shown in Figure 3.24b lines 5120-5140 which performs the complex twiddle multiplications. From Eq (3.144) there are  $(mi)N(p_i-1)/p_i$  complex twiddles which provide the general expression:

$$\text{real mult} = 4(mi)N(p_i-1)/p_i \quad (3.161)$$

$$\text{real adds} = 2(mi)N(p_i-1)/p_i \quad (3.162)$$

Combining Eqs (3.145) through (3.162) give the expression for the real operations in the general odd factors section:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{real mult} &= \sum_{i=1}^k 2(p_i-1) + (mi)N(p_i-1)^2/p_i \\ &\quad + 4(mi)N(p_i-1)/p_i \end{aligned} \quad (3.163)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{real adds} &= \sum_{i=1}^k ((p_i-1) + 3N(mi)(p_i-1)/p_i \\ &\quad + (mi)N(p_i-1)^2/p_i + 2(mi)N(p_i-1)/p_i \\ &\quad + 2(mi)N(p_i-1)/p_i) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^k (p_i-1) + 7N(mi)(p_i-1)/p_i \\ &\quad + (mi)N(p_i-1)^2/p_i \end{aligned} \quad (3.164)$$

Assuming that the sequence can be factored into

$N = 2^r 3^s 4^t 5^u p_1^{m1} p_2^{m2} \dots p_k^{mk}$  the expressions for the total number of real operations can be written using Eqs (3.140) through (3.164) as:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{real mult} &= 2rN + 4sN + 3tN + 32uN/5 \\ &+ \sum_{i=1}^k (2(p_i-1) + (mi)N(p_i-1)^2/p_i \\ &+ 4(mi)N(p_i-1)/p_i) - 4(N-1) + \text{KMULT} \quad (3.165) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{real adds} &= 3rN + 16sN/3 + 11tN/2 + 8uN \\ &+ \sum_{i=1}^k ((p_i-1) + 7N(mi)(p_i-1)/p_i \\ &+ (mi)N(p_i-1)^2/p_i) - 2(N-1) + \text{KADD} \quad (3.166) \end{aligned}$$

Notice that Eqs (3.165) and (3.166) have the corresponding  $4(N-1)$  and  $2(N-1)$  real operations subtracted from the total multiplications and additions because the first stage of any FFT decimation-in-time does not require the "twiddle factors" (likewise with the last stage of an FFT decimation-in-frequency). These equations also include KADD and KMULT which are the real operations required to compute the recursive sine and cosine difference equation.

Similar expressions and derivations were performed for the IMSL FFT and the author's FFT but due to the redundancy they were derived in Appendices G and E respectively. The general expression for real operations required by the IMSL mixed radix FFT (where  $N = 2^r 3^s 4^t p_1^{m1} p_2^{m2} \dots p_k^{mk}$ ) is given by:

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{real mult} &= 2rN + 4sN + 3tN \\
&+ \sum_{i=1}^k (2(p_i-1) + 4(mi)N(p_i-1)/p_i \\
&+ (mi)N(p_i-1)^2/p_i) - 4(N-1) + \text{KMULT} \quad (3.167)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{real adds} &= 3rN + 6sN + 1tN/2 \\
&+ \sum_{i=1}^k ((p_i-1) + 8(mi)N(p_i-1)p_i \\
&+ N(mi)(p_i-1)^2/p_i) - 2(N-1) + \text{KADD} \quad (3.168)
\end{aligned}$$

where KMULT and KADD are the multiplies and adds needed to compute the sine and cosine terms. The general expression for real operations required by the author's mixed radix FFT (where  $N = 2^r 3^s 4^t 5^u$ ) is given by:

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{real mult} &= 2rN + 4sN + 3tN \\
&+ 32uN/5 - 4(N-1) + 4N \quad (3.169)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{real adds} &= 3rN + 16sN/3 \\
&+ 11tN/2 + 8uN - 2(N-1) + 10N \quad (3.170)
\end{aligned}$$

The real operations count for Singleton's mixed radix FFT is shown for  $N \leq 200$  in Figures 3.26 and 3.27. The operations count plotted includes only the additions and multiplications for the butterfly and twiddle factors in order to demonstrate the  $N^2$  "upper bound" and the  $N \log_2 N$  "lower bound". The  $N^2$  upper bound occurs in the mixed radix FFTs when a prime number must be transformed. The  $N \log_2 N$  lower bound is reached when  $N=2^m$ . In between the  $N^2$  and  $N \log_2 N$  bounds there are other "bounds" which are observed in Figure 3.25. The dashed lines represent numbers

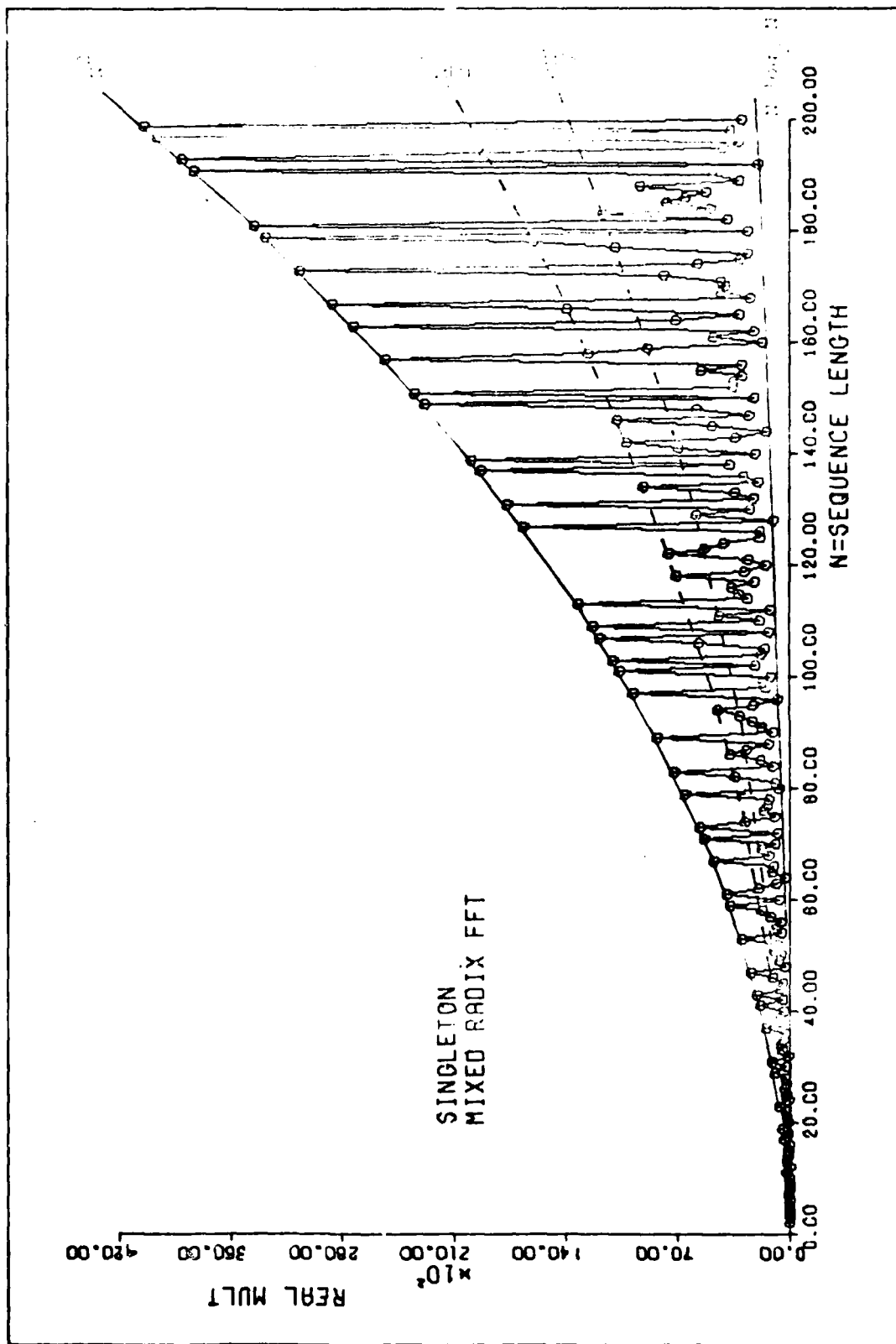


Figure 3.25. Multiplications vs N for Singleton's FFT ( $N \leq 200$ ).

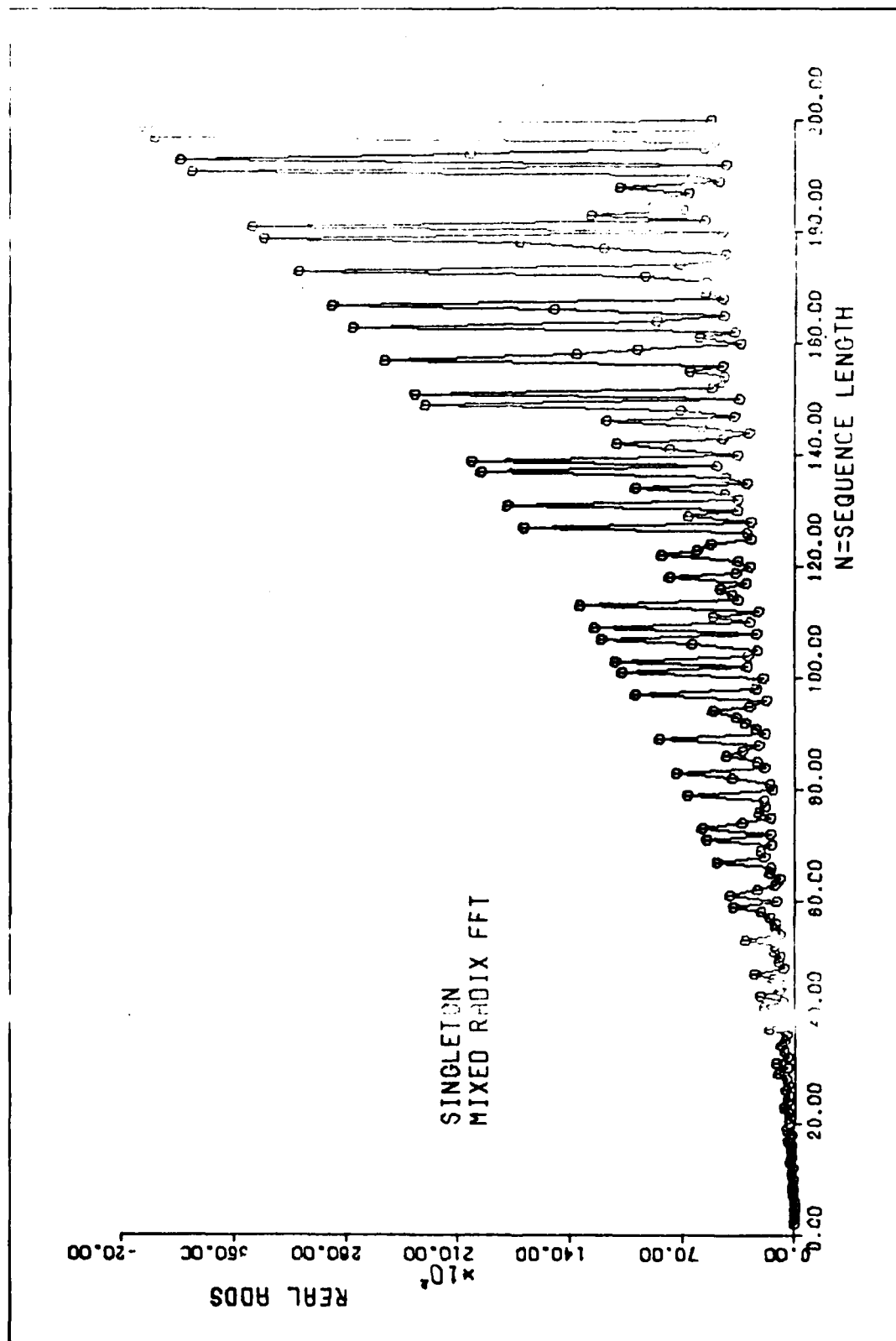


Figure 3.26. Additions vs N for Singleton's FFT ( $N \leq 200$ ).

which are not primes, but are not highly factorable either. The dashed line approaches  $N \log_2 N$  as  $N$  becomes more factorable.

The relative efficiency of radix 2, 3, 4 and 5 FFTs is observed in Figures 3.27 and 3.28. These figures plot real operations counts for the mixed radix FFT for  $N$  less than 250 (where  $N$  is divisible by 2, 3, 4 and 5 only) and annotate the integer powers of 2, 3, 4 and 5. Notice that the fixed radix-2 and 4 provide the "lower bound" and the radix-3 and 5 provide the "upper bound" on the number of real operations which shows that integer powers of 2 and 4 require the least number of real operations and radix-3 and 5 the most. Other combinations of factors, i.e.,  $N=120=5*4*3*2$ , have real operations counts which fall between the "bounds".

#### 3.4.6 Memory Requirements for Mixed Radix FFTs.

As in the case of fixed radix algorithms, a major consideration in selecting a particular mixed radix algorithm is the memory required to execute the FFT subroutine given the memory storage limitations of the computer to be used. The memory requirements for the three mixed radix FFTs is given here as a function of the sequence length  $N$ . Each algorithm has program and memory array requirements which are listed below.

All the algorithms were compiled on the CDC Cyber system at AFIT and the program memory required by each subroutine was determined from a "load map" generated by the

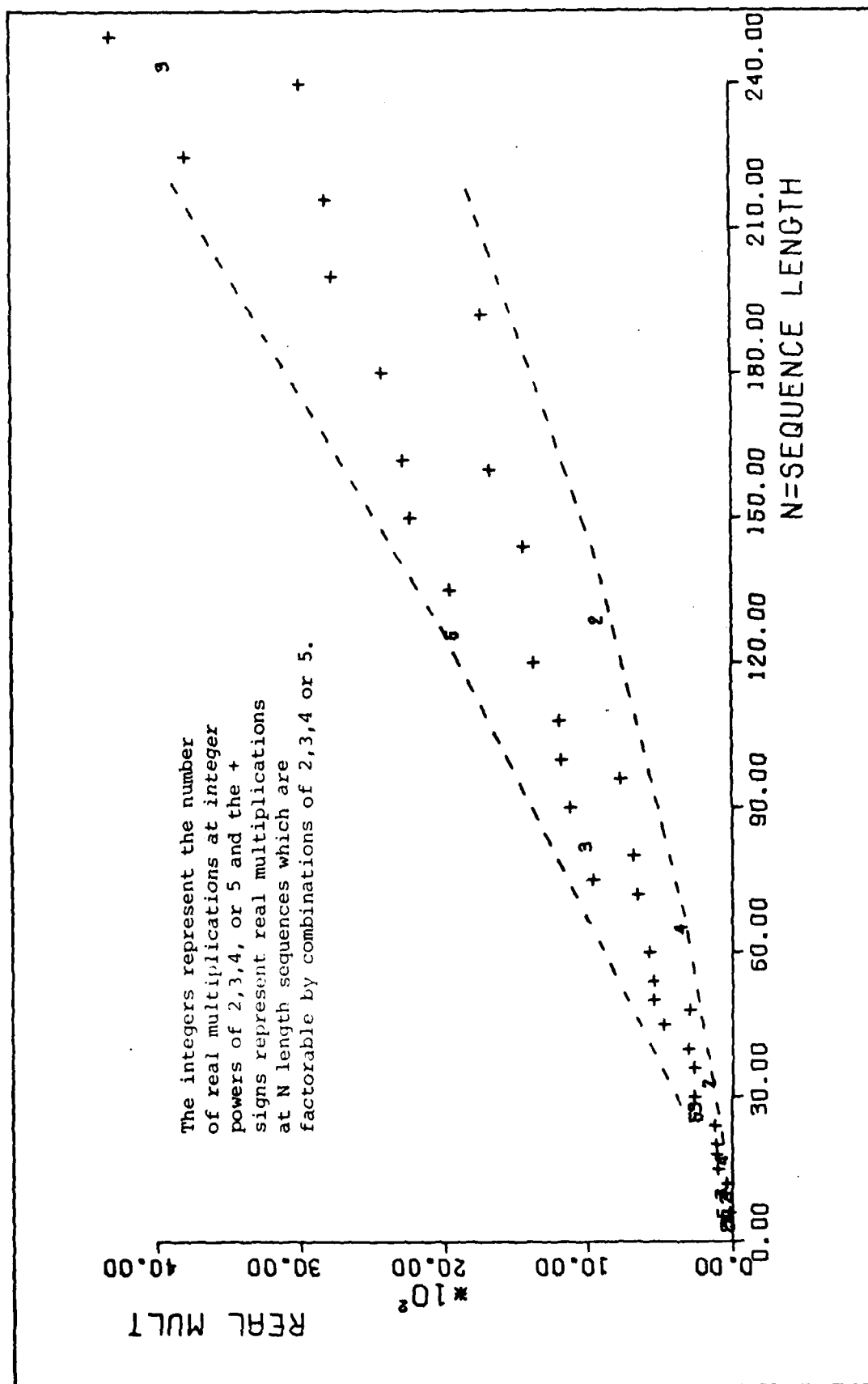


Figure 3.27. Multiplications vs N for Multiples of 2,3,4 and 5.



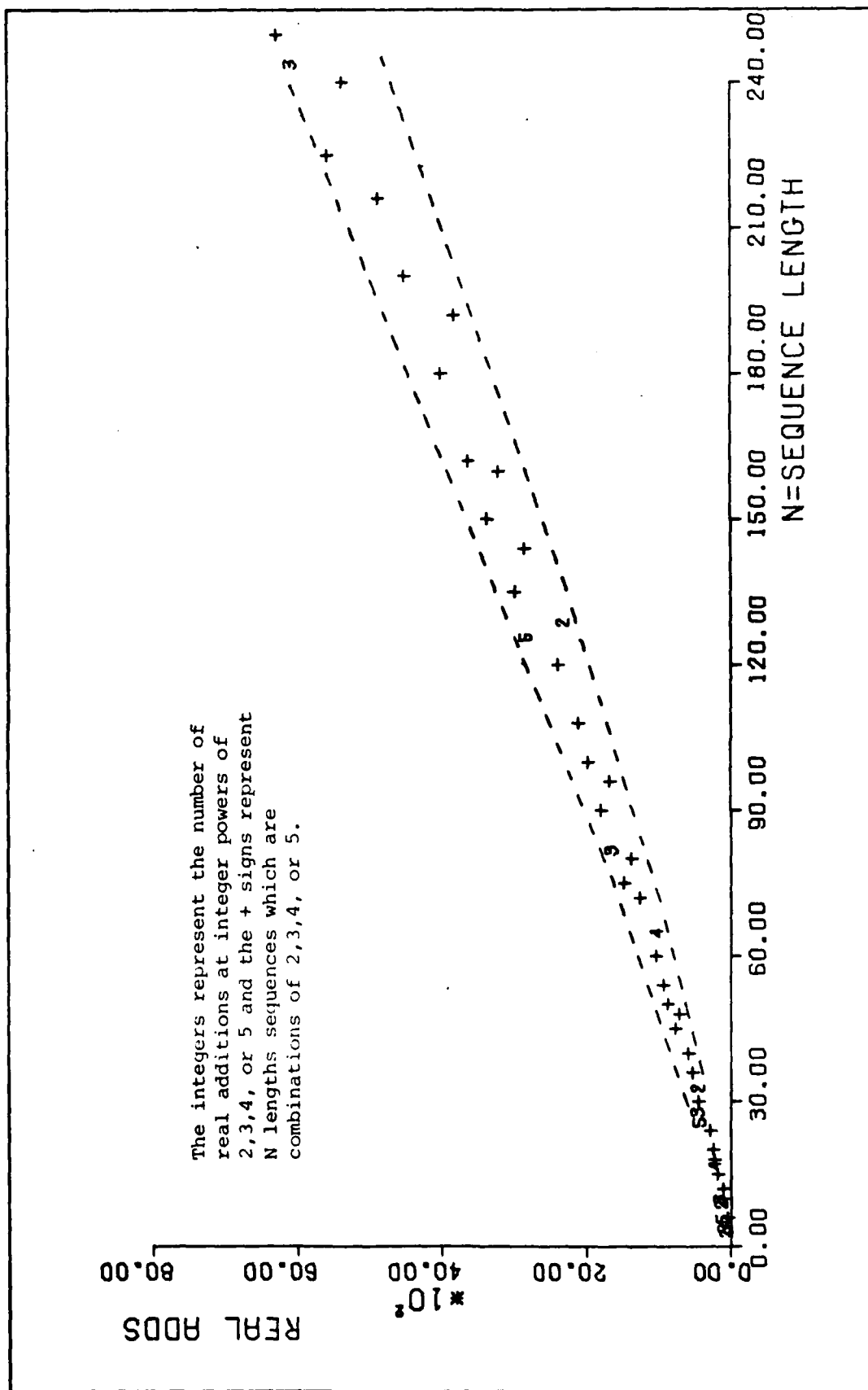


Figure 3.28. Additions vs N for Multiples of 2, 3, 4, and 5.

command MAP, PART. This load map gives the size of all programs used during execution. The array storage requirements were determined from the FORTRAN coded programs and reference material provided with the IMSL and Singleton FFT subroutines. The general expression for memory requirements for each FFT subroutine (as a function of N) is given below.

The subroutine written by the author requires 899 words of program memory. This subroutine (FFTMR) also requires the "calling" program to dimension 6 arrays (A, B, AT, BT, WKS, and WKC) to length N. (Use of these arrays is explained in Appendix E). This gives the total memory array required as:

$$\text{FFTMR memory} = 6N \quad (3.171)$$

The mixed radix subroutine written by Singleton (FFTSNG) requires 1100 words of program memory. Four arrays (AT, BT, CK, SK) are dimensioned to equal the maximum prime factor of N. If there are no prime factors greater than 5 these arrays may be reduced to 1. A fifth array (NP) is dimensioned to at least one less than the product K of the square-free factors (see Glossary) of N. If N contains at most one square-free factor this array can be reduced to M + 1 where M is the maximum number of prime factors of N. Two more arrays, (XR, and XI) are dimensioned to length N. The total memory array storage becomes:

$$\text{FFTSNG memory} = 2 \cdot N + 4 \cdot \text{MAXPF} + (K-1 \text{ or } M+1) \quad (3.172)$$

where

N = Sequence length

MAXPF = Maximum prime factor of N

K = Product of square-free factors

M = Maximum number of prime factors

NOTE: K-1 or M+1 is selected in Eq (3.172) based on the number of square-free factors of N as described in the preceding paragraph.

The mixed radix subroutine (FFTCC) provided as part of the IMSL package on the CDC Cyber system requires 1061 words of program memory. A complex array (A) must be dimensioned to length N and two other arrays (IWK and WK) are dimensioned to length "IWORD", where:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{IWORD} = 3 \cdot M + 3 + \text{MAX} (4 \cdot M + 7 + 6 \cdot K, \\ \text{KB} + 1 + 2 \cdot \text{JK}) \end{aligned} \quad (3.173)$$

To define the quantities M, K, KB and JK a prime factor decomposition of N is required such that:

$$N = f_1^2 f_2^2 \dots f_{KT}^2 f_{KT+1} \dots f_{KT+JT}$$

where each  $f_j$  is a prime number (other than 1) and  $f_i \neq f_r$  given that:

$$i, r \geq KT + 1$$

$$KT \geq 0; JT \geq 0$$

Then:

$$M = 2KT + JT \quad (3.174)$$

is the number of prime factors in N and:

$$K = \max_{1 \leq j \leq KT + JT} (f_j) \quad (3.175)$$

is the largest prime factor of N. KB and JK are defined as follows:

$$JK = 1 \cdot f_1 \cdot f_2 \dots F_{KT} \quad (3.176)$$

where  $JK = 1$  if  $KT = 0$  and

$$KB = N/(JK)^2 - 2 \quad (3.177)$$

Once M, K, JK, and KB are determined they are substituted into Eq (3.173) to determine the value of IWORD, the actual work storage requirement. Counting only the arrays for the work vectors (IWK and WK) and the data arrays (A and B) gives the total array memory required for the IMSL FFT:

$$\text{Memory} = 2 * N + \text{IWORD} * 2 \quad (3.178)$$

An example of  $N=2100$  is used to demonstrate the use of Eqs (3.172) through (3.178) in computing the memory array required by the IMSL and Singleton subroutines. For  $N=2100$  the factors are  $2^2 \cdot 5^2 \cdot 3 \cdot 7$  for which FFTSNG memory becomes:

$N = 2100 = \text{sequence length}$

$\text{MAXPF} = 7 = \text{maximum prime factor in } N$

$K = 3 \cdot 7 = 21 = \text{product of the square free factors}$

$M = 6 = \text{maximum number of prime factors}$

Using Eq (3.172) the expression for FFTSNG memory array is given by

$$2 \cdot 2100 + 4 \cdot 7 + (20 \text{ or } 7) = 4248 \quad (3.179)$$

NOTE: There are two square-free factors 3 and 7, therefore choose 20 for the last term of Eq (3.179).

If this subroutine were used on the Cyber 74 computer, the program memory is added to the memory array to give a

total memory of:

$$\text{memory} = 4248 + 1100 = 5348 \text{ words} \quad (3.180)$$

The same example of  $N=2100$  is applied to the IMSL memory equation where:

$$\begin{aligned} N &= f_1^2 f_2^2 \dots f_{KT}^2 f_{KT+1} \dots f_{KT+JT} \\ &= 2^2 \cdot 5^2 \cdot 3 \cdot 7 = 2100 \end{aligned} \quad (3.181)$$

From Eq (3.174) the expression for  $M$  becomes:

$$M = 2 \cdot KT + JT = 2 \cdot 2 + 2 = 6 \quad (3.182)$$

which is the number of prime factors in  $N$ . The largest prime factor in  $N$  is given by Eq (3.175):

$$K = \max_{1 \leq j \leq KT+JT} (f_j) = 7 \quad (3.183)$$

$JK$ , which is the product of the "square-factors", is:

$$JK = 1 \cdot f_1 \cdot f_2 \dots f_{KT} = 2 \cdot 5 = 10 \quad (3.184)$$

and  $KB$  is

$$KB = N/(JK)^2 - 2 = 2100/100 - 2 = 19 \quad (3.185)$$

The results of Eq (3.181) through (3.185) provide the size of the work vector  $IWORD$  given by Eq (3.173).

$$\begin{aligned} IWORD &= 3M + 3 + \text{MAX} (4M + 7 + 6K, KB+1+2JK) \\ &= 18 + 3 + \text{MAX} (24 + 7 + 42, 19+1+20) \\ &= 21 + \text{MAX} (73, 40) = 94 \end{aligned}$$

Substituting  $IWORD=94$  and  $N=2100$  into Eq (3.178) gives the memory array for FFTCC as:

$$2N + 2IWORD = 4200 + 94 = 4294 \quad (3.186)$$

Using this subroutine on the Cyber 74 computer requires 1061 words of program memory which makes the total memory required equal to:

$$4294 + 1061 = 5355 \text{ words} \quad (3.187)$$

For this length  $N=2100$  sequence the Singleton FFTSNG used less memory (5348) than the IMSL FFTCC (5355).

The array memory requirements given by Eq (3.172) and (3.178) are plotted in Figures 3.29 and 3.30 for  $N$  less than 200. It is readily observed that selective adjustment of  $N$  to be highly factorable (composite) minimizes the memory required by subroutines FFTCC or FFTSNG. As an example of how prime numbers increase the memory array sizes, consider  $N = 2099$  for each algorithm. For FFTSNG the variables are  $MAXPF = 2099$ ,  $K = 2099$ , and  $M = 1$ . Since  $N = 2099$  contains only one square-free factor the array  $NP$  can be dimensioned to  $M+1=2$ . The memory array for FFTSNG becomes:

$$2N + 4 \cdot MAXPF + 2 = 12594 \text{ words of memory array}$$

Adding the program memory of 1100 yields the total memory required to execute the FFTSNG on the Cyber 74:

$$\text{memory} = 12594 + 1100 = 13694 \quad (3.188)$$

For the IMSL FFT the variables are  $K = 2099$ ,  $JK = 1$ ,  $KT = 0$ ,  $JT = 1$ ,  $KB = 2097$ , and  $M = 1$ . The expression for  $IWORD$  becomes:

$$\begin{aligned} IWORD &= 3M + 3 + \text{MAX}(4M+7+6K, KB+1+2JK) \\ &= 3 + 3 + \text{MAX}(12605, 2100) = 12611 \end{aligned}$$

The total memory assuming execution on the Cyber 74 system is:

$$2N + 2 \cdot IWORD = 2 \cdot 2099 + 2 \cdot 12611 = 29420 \quad (3.189)$$

which is 5.5 times larger than the total memory for  $N=2100$ .

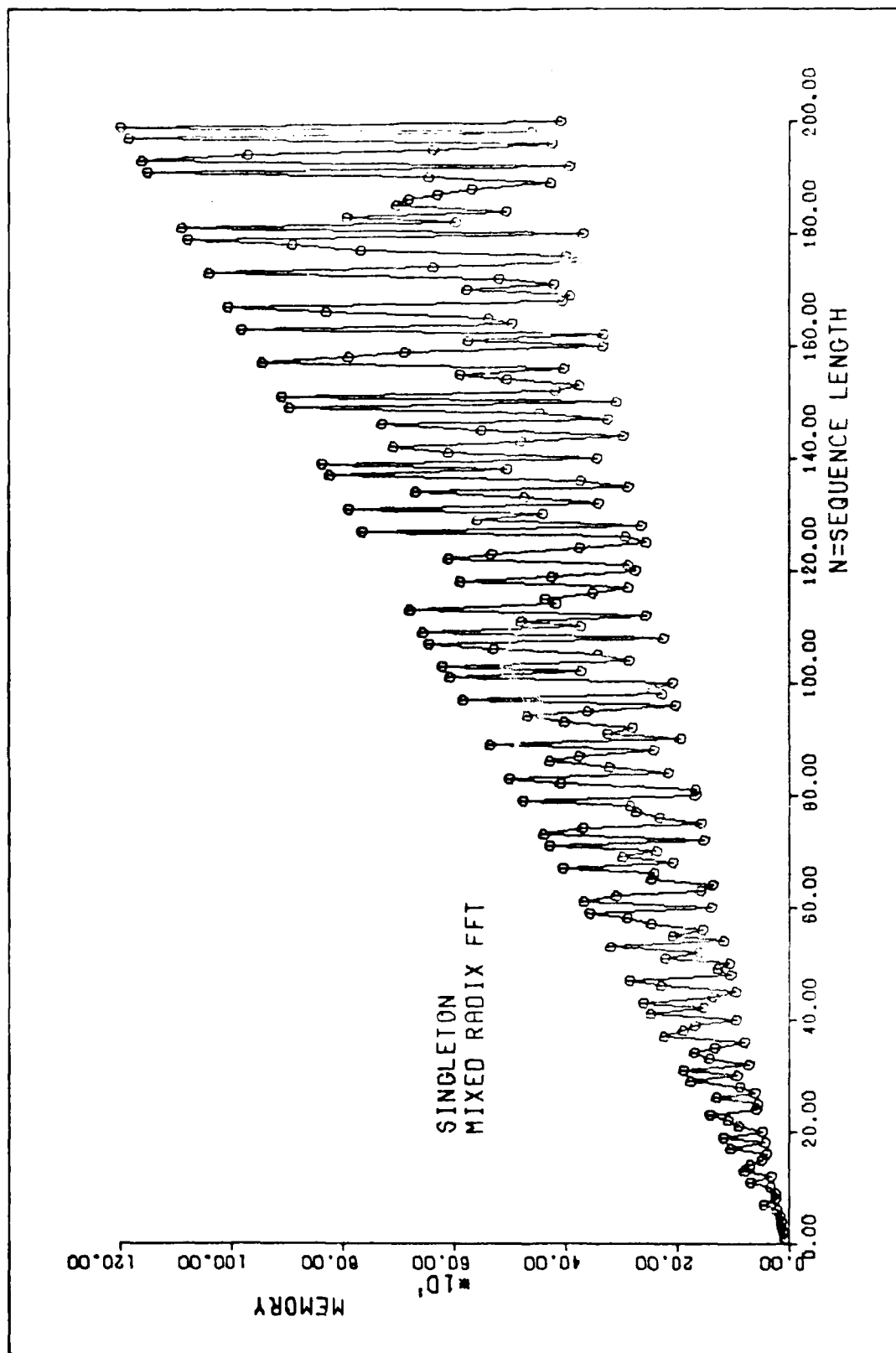


Figure 3.29. Memory Array vs  $N$  ( $<200$ ) for Singleton's FFT.

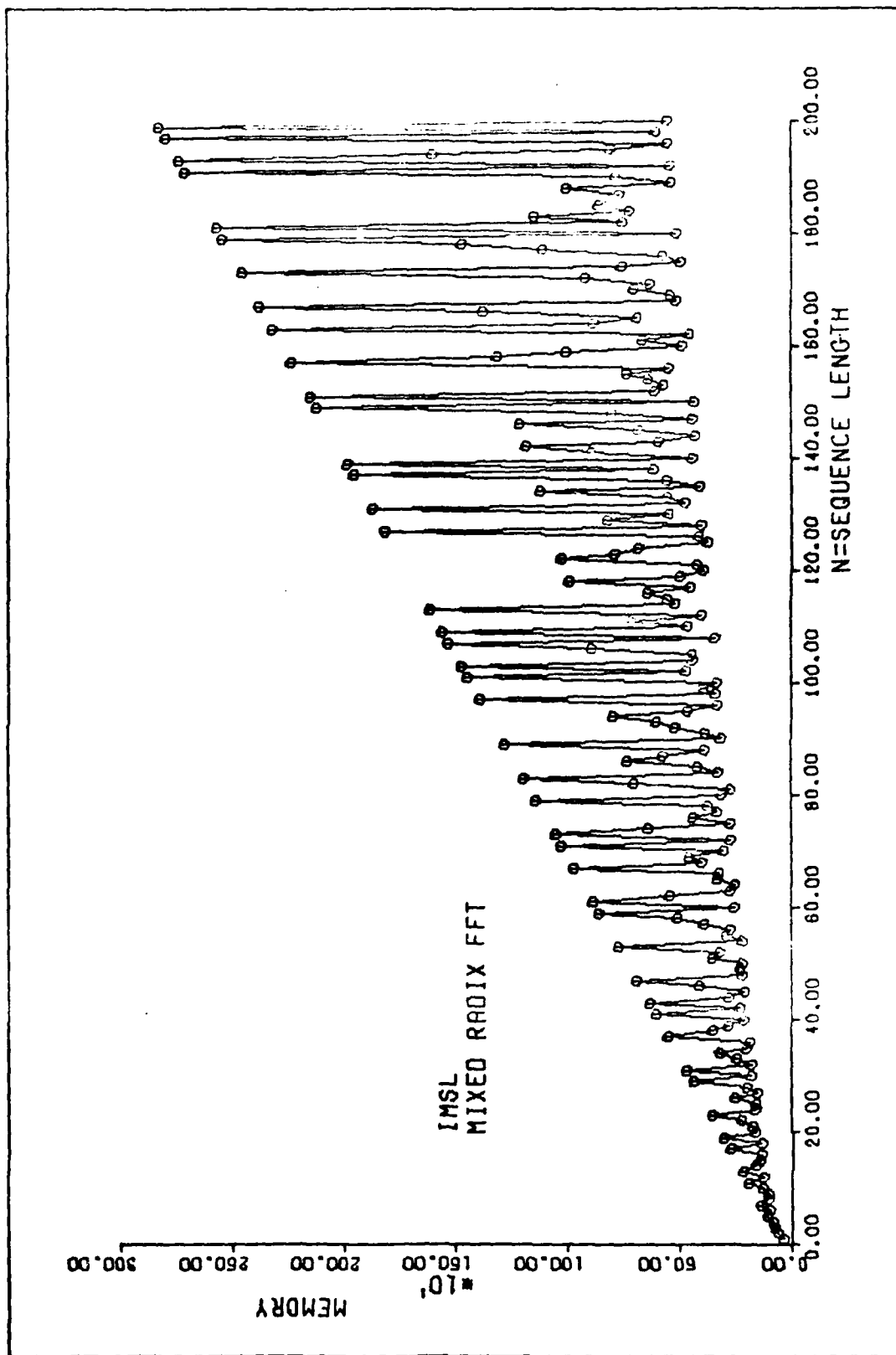


Figure 3.30. Memory Array vs N (<200) for IMSL's FFT.



### 3.5 Fourier Transforms Using Fast Convolution Algorithms

The paper by Cooley and Tukey, 1965, had a major impact on digital signal processing by stimulating the development and wide use of the FFT. Recently several new ideas have been used to compute the DFT which have impacted digital signal processing. In 1968 it was observed by Rader that computation of the DFT could be changed to circular convolution by rearranging the data when  $N$  is prime. Now, if given a fast way to do circular convolution, one has a fast DFT method. Winograd showed the minimum number of multiplications for circular convolution of primes and prime power length sequences. He then proposed that these high speed prime power convolutions be "nested" into long transforms to minimize multiplications. The Winograd nested algorithm has been studied and programmed (Silverman, 1977; McClellan and Nawab, 1979; Zohar, 1979) for computing the DFT of complex valued sequences.

An alternative to the Winograd algorithm was proposed by Kolba and Parks and combined the concept of fast convolution with conventional DFT techniques to give another efficient DFT implementation. Kolba and Parks' prime factor algorithm (PFA) uses the same reordering technique as the Winograd Fourier transform algorithm (WFTA). The original PFA (Kolba and Parks, 1978) has been modified (Burrus and Eschenbacher, 1980) so it can transform the same sequence lengths as the WFTA.

This section presents the theory of the WFTA "small-N" algorithms, the data reordering (which is the same for PFA and WFTA), the PFA theory, the real operations count, and the memory array requirements for both PFA and WFTA. Since both algorithms follow a similar development the conversion of a DFT to circular convolution and data reordering are only presented once and apply to both algorithms.

### 3.5.1 Converting a DFT to Circular Convolution.

To convert the DFT expression to a circular convolution the DFT matrix  $[W]$  must be "mapped" into the circular convolution matrix  $[W_c]$ . The mapping between these two matrices, and hence the basis for the WFTA and PFA was developed by Rader in 1968.

Rader showed that if "N is prime, there is some number  $g$ , not necessary unique, such that a one-to-one mapping from the integers  $i = 1, 2, \dots, N-1$  to the integers  $j=1, 2, \dots, N-1$  is given by:

$$j = ((g^i))_N \quad (3.190)$$

where the notation  $((x))_N$  implies  $x$  modulo  $N$ ." The example of  $N=7$  and  $g=3$  using the mapping of Eq (3.190) gives:

i	1	2	3	4	5	6
j	3	2	6	4	5	1

The number  $g$  is referred to as a "primitive root" in number theory. The mapping of Eq (3.190) provides the convolution matrix  $[W_c]$  from the DFT matrix  $[W]$ . Examples of this mapping are extensively treated in the references

(Silverman, 1977; Kolba and Parks, 1977) and are not repeated in this paper.

A brief example of using the results of the convolution matrix is presented to aid in developing the small-N algorithm operations count. Consider the following 3-point DFT written in matrix notation as:

$$\begin{bmatrix} X(0) \\ X(1) \\ X(2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} W^0 & W^0 & W^0 \\ W^0 & W^1 & W^2 \\ W^0 & W^2 & W^1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x(0) \\ x(1) \\ x(2) \end{bmatrix} \quad (3.191)$$

where  $W_3$  is assumed and  $W_3^4 = W_3^1$ . The circular convolution is given by:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \bar{X}(1) \\ \bar{X}(2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} W^1 & W^2 \\ W^2 & W^1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x(1) \\ x(2) \end{bmatrix} \quad (3.192)$$

which provides  $\bar{X}(1)$  and  $\bar{X}(2)$ . Then the DFT in Eq (3.191) can be rewritten using Eq (3.192) to give:

$$\begin{aligned} X(0) &= W^0(x(0) + x(1) + x(2)) \\ X(1) &= W^0x(0) + \bar{X}(1) \\ X(2) &= W^1x(0) + \bar{X}(2) \end{aligned} \quad (3.193)$$

Using similar techniques to the one presented here, convolution expressions to perform DFTs have been developed for  $N = 2, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9$  and 16.

3.5.2 Reordering the Data Arrays. Implementing the WFTA or the PFA into a useful form involves making long transforms from the short, fast-convolution transforms for 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, and 16. The general idea is "to convert a one-dimensional length  $N = M_1 M_2 \dots M_i$  transform into a  $i$ -dimensional transform requiring computation of  $i$  shorter length  $M_k$  transforms for  $k = 1, 2, \dots, i$ ." (Kolba and Parks, 1977). The mapping from one-dimension to  $i$ -dimensions is based on the Chinese Remainder Theorem which requires relatively prime factors  $M_1 M_2 \dots M_i$ . The example for two mutually prime factors given by Kolba and Parks, 1977, is presented here because the mapping is common to both WFTA and PFA.

In the DFT:

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) w^{nk} \quad (3.194)$$

the index  $n$  of the input sequence is referred to as the input index, and the index  $k$  of the output sequence  $X(k)$  is called the output index. Mapping from one-to-two dimensions maps the input index  $n$  into a pair of indices  $(n_1, n_2)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} n_1 &= r_1 n \bmod M_1 & n_1 &= 0, \dots, M_1-1 & r_1 &= M_2 \bmod M_1 \\ n_2 &= r_2 n \bmod M_2 & n_2 &= 0, \dots, M_2-1 & r_2 &= M_1 \bmod M_2 \end{aligned}$$

The output index is

$$\begin{aligned} k_1 &= k \bmod M_1 & k_1 &= 0, \dots, M_1-1 \\ k_2 &= k \bmod M_2 & k_2 &= 0, \dots, M_2-1 \end{aligned}$$

The inverse mapping from two-to-one dimension for the output index is:

$$k = (s_1 k_1 + s_2 k_2) \bmod N \quad (3.195)$$

where

$$s_1 \equiv 1 \bmod M_1 \quad \text{and} \quad s_2 \equiv 0 \bmod M_1$$

$$s_1 \equiv 0 \bmod M_2 \quad \text{and} \quad s_2 \equiv 1 \bmod M_2$$

While the same inverse mapping in Eq (3.195) could be used for the input index  $n$ , it is more convenient (Kolba and Parks, 1977) to use:

$$n = (M_2 n_1 + M_1 n_2) \bmod N \quad (3.196)$$

When the mappings in Eqs (3.195) and (3.196) are used the DFT becomes:

$$X(k_1, k_2) = \sum_{n_1=0}^{M_1-1} \sum_{n_2=0}^{M_2-1} x(n_1, n_2) W_{M_2}^{n_2 k_2} W_{M_1}^{n_1 k_1} \quad (3.197)$$

At this point the WFTA and PFA approach the implementation of Eq (3.197) differently as seen below.

**3.5.3 The Winograd Fourier Transform.** A new algorithm for computing the DFT was proposed by Winograd in July 1975. The WFTA has properties such that the number of real additions remained at the FFT level while the number of real multiplications necessary to evaluate the DFT was reduced (Silverman, 1977). This paper will not derive the "small-N" algorithms. Readers interested in derivation of the WFTA are referred to the articles which extensively treat the topic (Winograd, 1976; Silverman, 1977; Kolba and Parks, 1977; Zohar, 1979).

Winograd's proof started with the  $N$  by  $N$  matrix with elements:

$$w_N^{ir} = w_N^{ir \bmod N} = Q_N(i, r) \quad (3.198)$$

which can be decomposed to:

$$Q_N = O_N D_N I_N \quad (3.199)$$

where  $I_N$  is a  $u$  by  $N$  incidence matrix with values of 0, 1, and -1 only,  $D_N$  is a  $u$  by  $u$  diagonal matrix, and  $O_N$  is an  $N$  by  $u$  incidence matrix (Silverman, 1977). The decomposition of  $Q_N$  is possible with large values of  $u$  relative to  $N$  (i.e.,  $u=N^2$ ). Winograd solved the more difficult problem of decomposing  $Q_N = O_N D_N I_N$  given an incidence matrix which has dimension  $u$  smaller than  $N^2$ . Winograd applied field theory to give solutions where  $u$  approximately equals  $N$  for small values of  $N$ , where  $N = 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9$ , and 16 (Silverman, 1977).

Not only did Winograd prove the minimum multiplication count for the above small- $N$  DFTs but he also proposed a special structure of Eq (3.197) using Eq (3.199). The two dimensional transform in Eq (3.197) may be implemented by first calculating  $M_1$  length  $M_2$  DFTs:

$$y(n_1, k_2) = \sum_{n_2=0}^{M_2-1} x(n_1, n_2) w^{n_2 k_2} \quad (3.200)$$

and then calculating  $M_2$  length  $M_1$  DFTs:

$$x(k_1, k_2) = \sum_{n_1=0}^{M_1-1} y(n_1, k_2) w^{n_1 k_1} \quad (3.201)$$

Using the notation of Eq (3.199) the  $M_1$  short transform can be written in terms of the input additions  $i^{(1)}$ , output additions  $o^{(1)}$ , and multiplications  $d^{(1)}$ . The length  $M_2$  transform uses  $i^{(2)}$ ,  $o^{(2)}$ , and  $d^{(2)}$  (Kolba and Parks, 1977). The Eq (3.200) becomes:

$$y(n_1, k_2) = \sum_{r=0}^{u_2-1} o_{k_2 r}^{(2)} d_r^{(2)} \sum_{n_2=0}^{M_2-1} i_{rn_2}^{(2)} x(n_1, n_2) \quad (3.202)$$

$X(k_1, k_2)$  in Eq (3.201) is a length  $M_1$  transform of  $y(n_1, k_1)$  which can also be written:

$$X(k_1, k_2) = \sum_{m=0}^{u_1-1} o_{k_1 m}^{(1)} d_m^{(1)} \sum_{n_1=0}^{M_1-1} i_{mn_1}^{(1)} y(n_1, k_2) \quad (3.203)$$

Substituting Eq (3.202) into Eq (3.203) gives:

$$X(k_1, k_2) = \sum_{m=0}^{u_1-1} o_{k_1 m}^{(1)} d_m^{(1)} \sum_{n_1=0}^{M_1-1} i_{mn_1}^{(1)} \times \sum_{r=0}^{u_2-1} o_{k_2 r}^{(2)} d_r^{(2)} \sum_{n_2=0}^{M_2-1} i_{rn_2}^{(2)} x(n_1, n_2) \quad (3.204)$$

The order of summation may be interchanged to "nest" the multiplications in the center which gives Eq (3.204) rewritten as:

$$X(k_1, k_2) = \sum_{r=0}^{u_2-1} o_{k_2 r}^{(2)} \sum_{m=0}^{u_1-1} o_{k_1 m}^{(1)} d_m^{(1)} d_r^{(2)} \times \sum_{n_1=0}^{M_1-1} i_{mn_1}^{(1)} \sum_{n_2=0}^{M_2-1} i_{rn_2}^{(2)} x(n_1, n_2) \quad (3.205)$$

Eq (3.205) is the form that was implemented into FORTRAN code (McClellan and Nawab, 1979) and listed in Appendix II.

As an example of the "nesting" structure for the WFTA consider the case of  $N=3$  given in Eqs (3.190) through (3.192). First, let

$$\begin{bmatrix} \bar{X}(1) \\ \bar{X}(2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} M_1/2 + M_2/2 \\ M_1/2 + M_2/2 \end{bmatrix} \quad (3.206)$$

then equating Eqs (3.206) and (3.191) gives:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \bar{X}(1) \\ \bar{X}(2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} M_1/2 + M_2/2 \\ M_1/2 - M_2/2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x(1)W^1 + x(2)W^2 \\ x(1)W^2 + x(2)W^1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (3.207)$$

Substituting,

$$W^1 = \exp(-j2\pi/3) = -1/2 - j(\sqrt{3}/2)$$

$$W^2 = \exp(-j4\pi/3) = -1/2 + j(\sqrt{3}/2)$$

into Eq (3.207) provides:

$$\begin{aligned} M_1/2 + M_2/2 &= -x(1)/2 - j(x(1)\sqrt{3}/2) \\ &\quad -x(2)/2 + j(x(2)\sqrt{3}/2) \end{aligned} \quad (3.208)$$

$$\begin{aligned} M_1/2 - M_2/2 &= -x(1)/2 + j(x(1)\sqrt{3}/2) \\ &\quad -x(2)/2 - j(x(2)\sqrt{3}/2) \end{aligned} \quad (3.209)$$

Solving for  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  gives:

$$\begin{aligned} M_1 &= -(1/2)(x(1) + x(2)) \\ M_2 &= -j(\sqrt{3}/2)(x(1) - x(2)) \end{aligned} \quad (3.210)$$



For the algorithm to be used in Winograd's algorithm the multiplications by  $W^0=1$  must be accounted for and minimized.

This is accomplished by modifying the length 3 DFT to:

$$\begin{aligned} a_1 &= x(1) + x(2) \\ a_2 &= x(1) - x(2) \\ a_3 &= x(0) + a_1 \end{aligned} \quad (3.211)$$

$$\begin{aligned} M_1 &= (-1/2 - 1)a_1 = -(3/2)a_1 \\ M_2 &= -j(\sqrt{3}/2)a_1 \\ M_3 &= W^0 a_3 = a_3 \end{aligned} \quad (3.212)$$

$$\begin{aligned} C_1 &= M_3 + M_1 \\ X(0) &= M_3 \\ X(1) &= C_1 + M_2 \\ X(2) &= C_1 - M_2 \end{aligned} \quad (3.213)$$

Eqs (3.211) through (3.213) result in 2 multiplications, 1 multiplication by  $W^0$ , and 6 additions which can now be expressed in the  $X = O \cdot D \cdot I \cdot x$  notation as:

$$\begin{bmatrix} X(0) \\ X(1) \\ X(2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -3/2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -j\sqrt{3}/2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x(0) \\ x(1) \\ x(2) \end{bmatrix} \quad (3.214)$$

and then rewritten into summations as:

$$X(k) = \sum_{r=0}^{u-1} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} d_r i_{rn} x(n) \quad (3.215)$$

The fast convolution cases for  $N=2,4,5,7,8,9$ , and 16 were developed similar to the method used for  $N=3$  above. The explicit equations for these cases provided the small- $N$

operations count shown in Table 3.6 which is used in computing the real operations count as a function of  $N$  for the WFTA.

3.5.4 The Prime Factor Algorithm Theory. An alternative to the nested algorithm proposed by Winograd was developed by Kolba and Parks. Because of the algorithms structure it is called the prime factor algorithm (PFA) and uses a modified version of Winograd's high-speed convolution technique.

Converting the DFT to circular convolution and reordering the data arrays for the PFA is identical up through Eq (3.197)

where  $W_{M_1} = \exp(-j2\pi/M_1),$

$W_{M_2} = \exp(-j2\pi/M_2),$  with  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  relatively prime.

The transform in Eq (3.197) may be performed by calculating  $M_1$  length  $M_2$  DFTs:

$$y(n_1, k_2) = \sum_{n_2=0}^{M_2-1} x(n_1, n_2) W^{n_2 k_2}_{M_2} \quad (3.216)$$

then calculating  $M_2$  length  $M_1$  DFTs:

$$X(k_1, k_2) = \sum_{n_1=0}^{M_1-1} y(n_1, k_2) W^{n_1 k_1}_{M_1} \quad (3.217)$$

The expressions in Eqs (3.216) and (3.217) are implemented as short DFTs instead of "nested" operations as shown in Eq (3.205).

TABLE 3.6  
SMALL-N OPERATIONS COUNT FOR WFTA

<u>N</u>	<u>Mult</u>	<u>Mult by <math>W^0</math></u>	<u>Adds</u>
2	0	2	2
3	2	1	6
4	0	4	8
5	5	1	17
7	8	1	36
8	2	6	26
9	12	1	44
16	10	8	74

For both algorithms structure the small-N equations are the same, only the implementation is different. In the case of the PFA structure the small-N algorithms are modified to permit a "shift operation" instead of a multiplication by 1/2. For the N=3 example Eqs (3.211) through (3.213) are modified to:

$$\begin{aligned} a_1 &= x(1) + x(2) \\ a_2 &= x(1) - x(2) \\ a_3 &= x(0) + a_1 \end{aligned} \quad (3.218)$$

$$\begin{aligned} M_1 &= -(1/2)a_1 \\ M_2 &= -j(\sqrt{3}/2)a_2 \end{aligned} \quad (3.219)$$

$$\begin{aligned} C_1 &= x(0) + M_1 \\ X(0) &= a_3 \\ X(1) &= C_1 + M_2 \\ X(2) &= C_1 - M_2 \end{aligned} \quad (3.220)$$

Eqs (3.218) through (3.220) have 1 multiplication, 1 shift (multiplication by 1/2) and 6 additions.

Similar small-N DFTs result for N=2,4,5,7,8,9 and 16 to produce the operations count for PFA small-N algorithms shown in Table 3.7 (Burrus and Eschenbacher, 1980).

(Complex valued sequences require the count in Table 3.7 to be doubled.) If the implementation of the PFA does not use "shifts" the multiplication count must be adjusted to reflect the multiplications by 1/2. The original FORTRAN program written (Kolba, 1977) did not include the factor of 16. Later modifications (Burrus and Eschenbacher, 1980)

TABLE 3.7  
PFA SMALL-N DFT OPERATIONS COUNT

<u>N</u>	<u>Multiplies</u>	<u>Shifts</u>	<u>Adds</u>
2	0	0	2
3	1	1	6
4	0	0	8
5	4	2	17
7	8	0	36
8	2	0	26
9	8	2	49
16	10	0	74

NOTE: For complex sequences the values in the table must be doubled.

included the factor of 16 which made the PFA capable of transforming the same sequence lengths as the WFTA. It should be noted that neither FORTRAN version implemented the "shifts" which increased the number of real multiplications.

3.5.5 Real Operations for WFTA. To use the WFTA the N length sequence must be factorable into R relatively prime factors  $N_1 N_2 \dots N_R$  where each factor corresponds to one of the Winograd small-N algorithms for 2,3,4,5,7,8, 9 and 16. It has been shown (Silverman, 1977) that the number of real multiplications is a function of the factors of N. To aid in the development of the number of real operations the following terms are defined:

$M_r$  = number of real multiplications in factor  $N_r$

$A_r$  = number of real additions in factor  $N_r$

$N_r = r^{\text{th}}$  factor of N

Winograd proved that the  $D_N$  matrix is an  $M_R$  by  $M_R$  diagonal matrix with only 0, 1, or -1 for diagonal entries and  $O_N$  and  $I_N$  are N by  $M_N$  and  $M_N$  by N incidence matrices, respectively. To evaluate the nested multiplications of  $D_N$  (Silverman, 1977) requires:

$$NMULT = M_1 M_2 \dots M_R \quad (3.221)$$

which is the real multiplications count for real valued sequences. For complex valued transforms Eq (3.221) must be multiplied by 2.

All previous multiplications counts (Winograd, 1976; Kolba and Parks, 1977; Silverman, 1977) use only Eq (3.221) as the source of real multiplications for the WFTA. The multiplications in Eq (3.221) are all performed by the MULT subroutine in Figure 3.31. Other real multiplications are required in the WFTA for computing the multiplier coefficients and determining the input and output permutation vectors of the INISHL subroutine in Figure 3.31.

The DFT multiplier coefficients are computed in lines 1450-1510 of the WFTA listed in Appendix H and require:

$$\text{real mult} = 3 * \text{NMULT} \quad (3.222)$$

where N MULT was computed in Eq (3.221). Determining the output permutation vector in lines 2080-2170 requires:

$$\text{real mult} = 4 * N \quad (3.223)$$

where N is sequence length to be transformed. Combining Eqs (3.222) and (3.223) provides the number of real operations required for initializing the WFTA. Subsequent transforms of the same sequence length do not require initialization. The first complex transform of length N using the WFTA requires:

$$\text{real mult} = 2 * \text{NMULT} + 3 * \text{NMULT} + 4 * N \quad (3.224)$$

Subsequent complex transforms require:

$$\text{real mult} = 2 * \text{NMULT} \quad (3.225)$$

Counting the number of real additions is more complicated because the factorization order of N will change the real additions count (Silverman, 1977). For a given factorization of  $N = N_1 N_2 \dots N_R$  the number of real additions

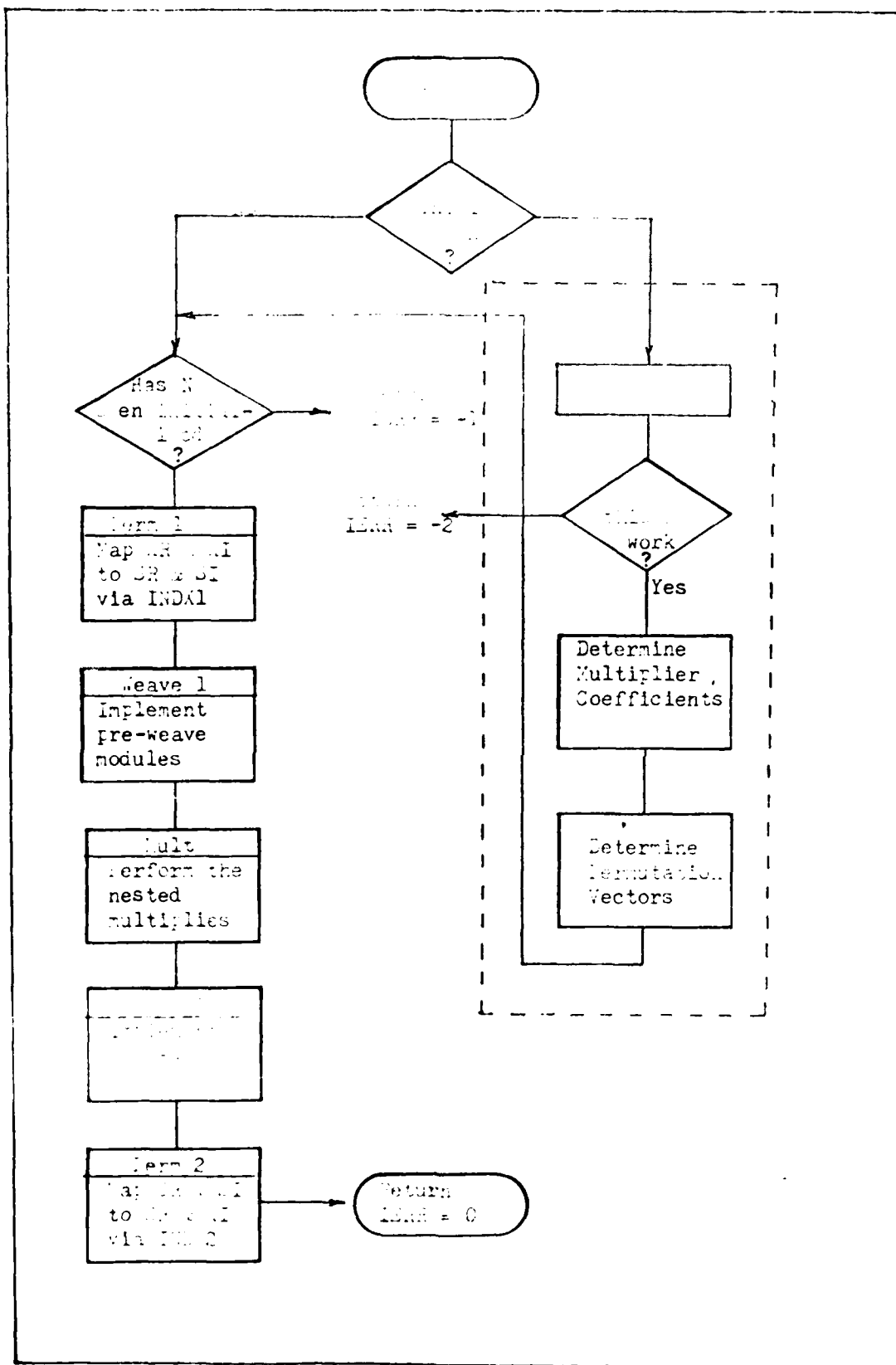


Figure 3.31. Flow Control in WFTA Program.



required to evaluate a complex valued sequence can be determined from the INITIAL initialization subroutine and the WEAVE1 and WEAVE2 subroutines in Figure 3.31. First the real additions from the "WEAVEs" can be developed by considering the special case of  $N = N_1 N_2$ .  $N_1$  is defined as the "innermost" factor and  $N_2$  is the "outermost" factor. For two factors of  $N$  Silverman has shown the number of real additions to be:

$$A(2) = N_1 A_2 + M_2 A_1 \quad (3.226)$$

(Recall  $A_2$  equal real adds to evaluate factor  $N_2$  and  $M_2$  equal real multiplies to evaluate  $N_2$ .) Now consider  $N = N_1 N_2 N_3$  where  $(N_1 N_2)$  is considered to be the "innermost" factor. The number of real additions becomes:

$$\begin{aligned} A(3) &= (N_1 N_2) A_3 + M_3 A(2) \\ &= N_1 N_2 A_3 + M_3 N_1 A_2 + M_3 M_2 A_1 \end{aligned} \quad (3.227)$$

By iterative substitution the number of additions for  $N = N_1 N_2 N_3 N_4$  becomes:

$$\begin{aligned} A(4) &= (N_1 N_2 N_3) A_4 + M_4 A(3) \\ &= N_1 N_2 N_3 A_4 + M_4 N_1 N_2 A_3 \\ &\quad + M_4 M_3 N_1 A_2 + M_4 M_3 M_2 A_1 \end{aligned} \quad (3.228)$$

Eqs (3.226) through (3.228) are used to write a compact expression for the number of real additions needed in the WEAVE subroutines:

$$A(R) = 2 \left( \sum_{r=1}^R \left( \sum_{j=1}^{R-1} N_j \right) (P_r) \left( \sum_{j=R-r+2}^R M_j \right) \right) \quad (3.229)$$

The expression in Eq (3.229) represents only real additions used in WEAVE1 and WEAVE2. Other additions are required by the INISHL initialization subroutine to index the DFT coefficient array and compute the output index vector.

The DFT coefficient array is indexed with a J counter in line 1500 of the FORTRAN WFTA program in Appendix H. This part of the INISHL subroutine requires NMULT real additions. The input index array INDX1 requires another J counter in line 1720 which uses N real additions. The output index array INDX2 uses a J counter in line 2160 which uses N real additions. Also the INDX2 computation requires 8N real additions in line 2120.

Totaling the real additions in the initialization subroutine gives:

$$\text{real adds} = \text{NMULT} + 10N \quad (3.330)$$

Adding the results of Eq (3.330) to Eq (3.229) gives the total additions needed to transform an N length sequence for the first time. Subsequent transforms at the same N sequence length requires only the number of adds in Eq (3.229).

The FORTRAN WFTA program written by McClellan and Nawab, 1979, decreased the number of real multiplications for N=9 from 13 to 11 while the number of additions remained constant at 44. Modifying Table 3.6 to reflect the new multiply count for N=9 gives the McClellan and Nawab real

operations count for the parallel algorithm is in Table 3.8.

Using Eqs (3.229) and (3.330) with Table 3.2 gives the number of real operations for all permissible WFTV sequence lengths shown in Table 3.9a and b. The columns labeled "REAL MULTI" and "REAL ADDI" represent the operations for the initial transform of length N. The columns labeled "REAL MULT" and "REAL ADD" give the operations count for subsequent transformations of the same sequence length. The number of real operations are plotted as a function of N in Figures 3.32 and 3.33. These graphs demonstrate the large reduction possible after the WFTA has been initialized for an N length sequence.

**3.5.6 Memory Requirements for WFTA.** The FORTRAN subroutine WFTA listed in Appendix H requires 2348 words of program memory when compiled for the CDC Cyber 74 computer. The memory array requirements are given by:

XR, XI, INDX1, INDX2: length N

COEF, SR, SI: length  $NMULT = N_1 N_2 N_3 N_4$  which is the number multiplies required by the factors of N. NMULT is listed in Table 3.9a and b.

CO3, CO4, CO5, CO8, CO16, CDA, CDB, CDC,  
CDD: Total of 88

The original version of WFTA dimensioned INDX1, INDX2, COEF, SR, and SI to their maximum possible lengths of 5040, 5040, 10692, 10692, and 10692 respectively. This made the memory

TABLE 3.8  
 McCLELLAN AND NAWAB'S WFTA  
 REAL OPERATIONS FOR THE SMALL-N ALGORITHMS

<u>N</u>	<u>M(N)</u>	<u>A(N)</u>
2	2	2
3	3	6
4	4	8
5	6	17
7	9	36
8	8	26
9	11	44
16	18	74

TABLE 3.9a  
REAL OPERATIONS AND MEMORY FOR MCCLELLAN AND NAWAB WFTA

N	REAL MULTI	REAL MULTI	EX- TRA	REAL ADD	REAL SUB	REAL DIV	REAL MULT
2	10	4	25	1	1	1	2
3	20	8	10	32	32	1	7
4	30	12	10	48	48	1	1
5	40	16	10	64	64	1	6
6	50	20	10	80	80	1	1
7	60	24	10	96	96	1	1
8	70	28	10	112	112	1	1
9	80	32	10	128	128	1	1
10	90	36	10	144	144	1	1
11	100	40	10	160	160	1	1
12	110	44	10	176	176	1	1
13	120	48	10	192	192	1	1
14	130	52	10	208	208	1	1
15	140	56	10	224	224	1	1
16	150	60	10	240	240	1	1
17	160	64	10	256	256	1	1
18	170	68	10	272	272	1	1
19	180	72	10	288	288	1	1
20	190	76	10	304	304	1	1
21	200	80	10	320	320	1	1
22	210	84	10	336	336	1	1
23	220	88	10	352	352	1	1
24	230	92	10	368	368	1	1
25	240	96	10	384	384	1	1
26	250	100	10	400	400	1	1
27	260	104	10	416	416	1	1
28	270	108	10	432	432	1	1
29	280	112	10	448	448	1	1
30	290	116	10	464	464	1	1
31	300	120	10	480	480	1	1
32	310	124	10	496	496	1	1
33	320	128	10	512	512	1	1
34	330	132	10	528	528	1	1
35	340	136	10	544	544	1	1
36	350	140	10	560	560	1	1
37	360	144	10	576	576	1	1
38	370	148	10	592	592	1	1
39	380	152	10	608	608	1	1
40	390	156	10	624	624	1	1
41	400	160	10	640	640	1	1
42	410	164	10	656	656	1	1
43	420	168	10	672	672	1	1
44	430	172	10	688	688	1	1
45	440	176	10	704	704	1	1
46	450	180	10	720	720	1	1
47	460	184	10	736	736	1	1
48	470	188	10	752	752	1	1
49	480	192	10	768	768	1	1
50	490	196	10	784	784	1	1
51	500	200	10	800	800	1	1
52	510	204	10	816	816	1	1
53	520	208	10	832	832	1	1
54	530	212	10	848	848	1	1
55	540	216	10	864	864	1	1
56	550	220	10	880	880	1	1
57	560	224	10	896	896	1	1
58	570	228	10	912	912	1	1
59	580	232	10	928	928	1	1
60	590	236	10	944	944	1	1
61	600	240	10	960	960	1	1
62	610	244	10	976	976	1	1
63	620	248	10	992	992	1	1
64	630	252	10	1008	1008	1	1
65	640	256	10	1024	1024	1	1
66	650	260	10	1040	1040	1	1
67	660	264	10	1056	1056	1	1
68	670	268	10	1072	1072	1	1
69	680	272	10	1088	1088	1	1
70	690	276	10	1104	1104	1	1
71	700	280	10	1120	1120	1	1
72	710	284	10	1136	1136	1	1
73	720	288	10	1152	1152	1	1
74	730	292	10	1168	1168	1	1
75	740	296	10	1184	1184	1	1
76	750	300	10	1200	1200	1	1
77	760	304	10	1216	1216	1	1
78	770	308	10	1232	1232	1	1
79	780	312	10	1248	1248	1	1
80	790	316	10	1264	1264	1	1
81	800	320	10	1280	1280	1	1
82	810	324	10	1296	1296	1	1
83	820	328	10	1312	1312	1	1
84	830	332	10	1328	1328	1	1
85	840	336	10	1344	1344	1	1
86	850	340	10	1360	1360	1	1
87	860	344	10	1376	1376	1	1
88	870	348	10	1392	1392	1	1
89	880	352	10	1408	1408	1	1
90	890	356	10	1424	1424	1	1
91	900	360	10	1440	1440	1	1
92	910	364	10	1456	1456	1	1
93	920	368	10	1472	1472	1	1
94	930	372	10	1488	1488	1	1
95	940	376	10	1504	1504	1	1
96	950	380	10	1520	1520	1	1
97	960	384	10	1536	1536	1	1
98	970	388	10	1552	1552	1	1
99	980	392	10	1568	1568	1	1
100	990	396	10	1584	1584	1	1

TABLE 3.9b  
REAL OPERATIONS AND MEMORY FOR MCCLELLAN AND NAWAB WFTA

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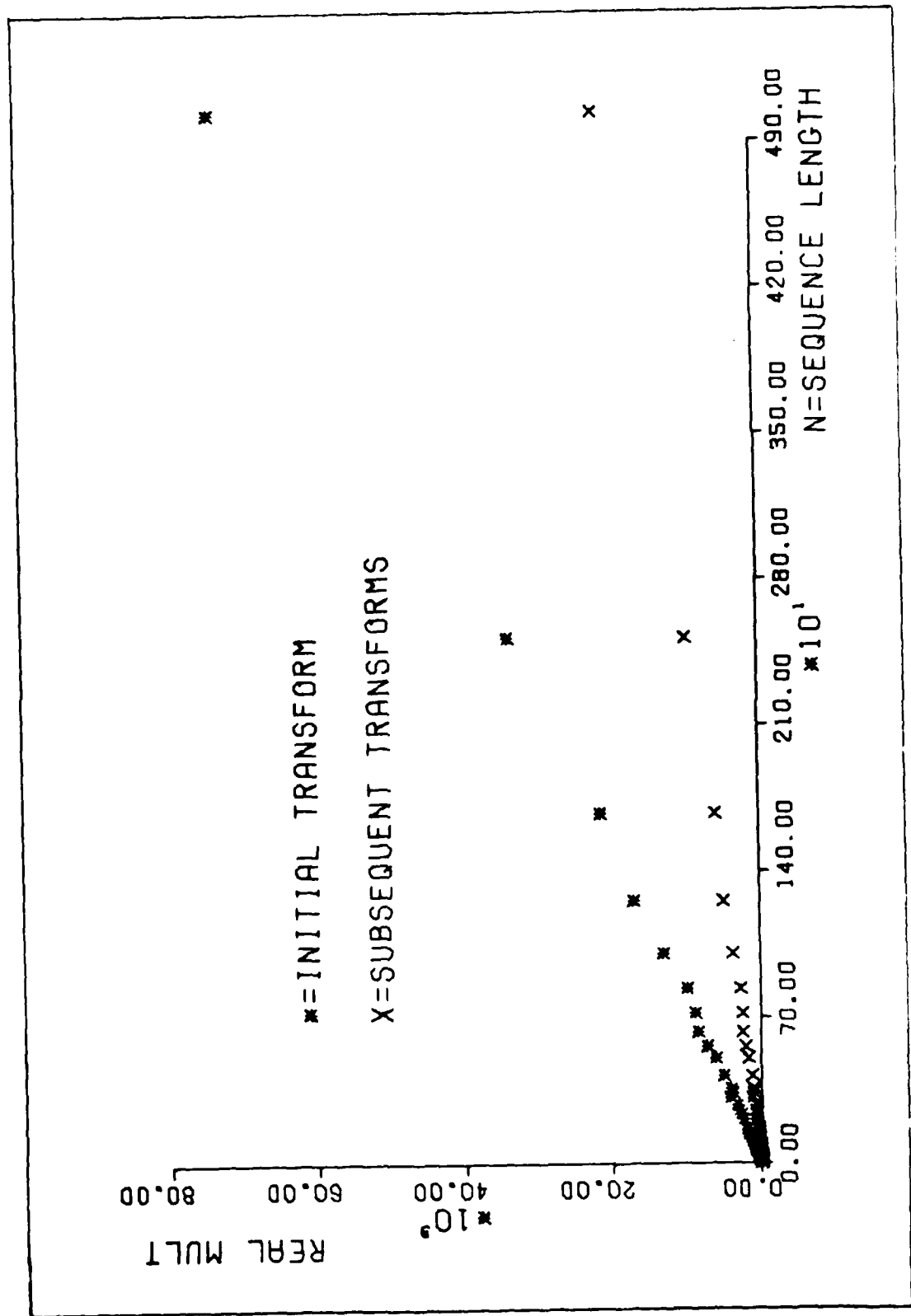


Figure 3.32. Real Multiplications for WFTA.

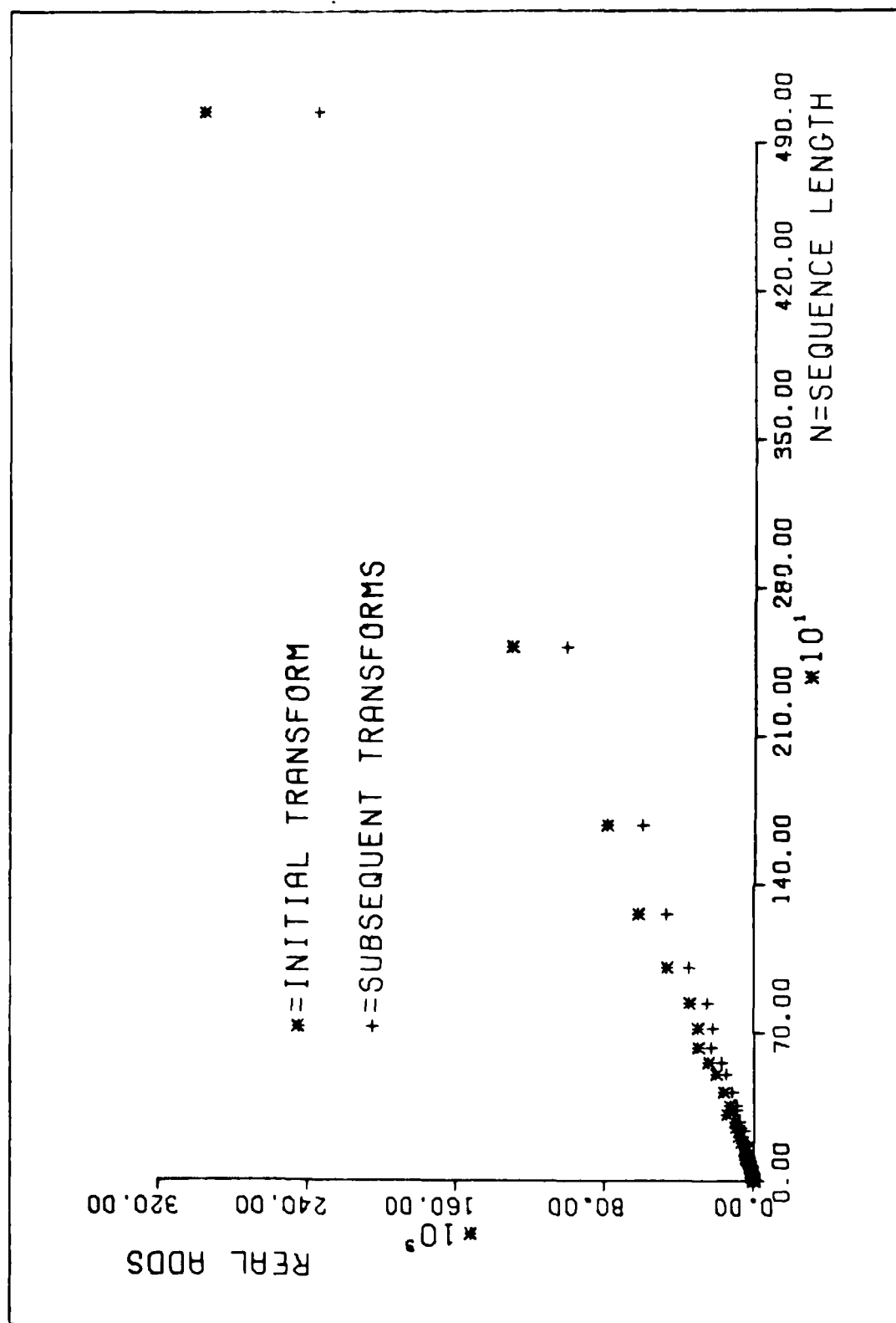


Figure 3.33. Real Additions for WFTA.



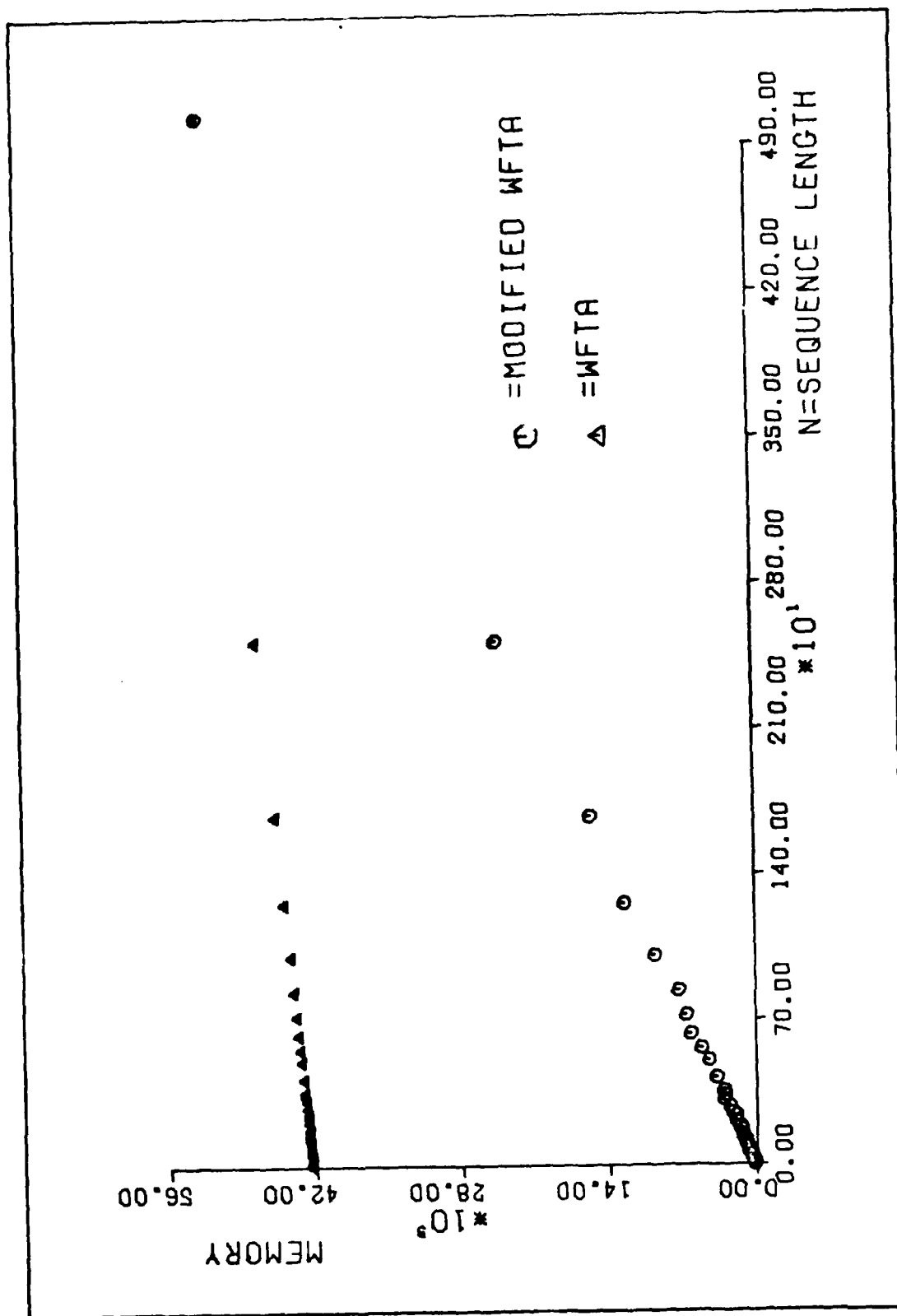


Figure 3.34. Memory Comparison Between Modified and Original WFTA.

array storage very large even for the shortest sequence lengths:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{memory array} &= 2N + 2*5040 + 3*10692 + 88 \\ &= 2N + 42244\end{aligned}\tag{3.331}$$

The memory arrays INDX1, INDX2, COEF, SR, and SI were variably dimensioned by the author's version of WFTA in Appendix H. This reduced the memory arrays required to:

$$\text{memory array} = 4N + 3NMULT + 88\tag{3.332}$$

The results of Eq (3.332) are listed in Table 3.9a and b for all values of N. A comparison of the memory required by Eqs (3.331) and (3.332) is plotted in Figure 3.34 which shows the drastic savings in memory storage by using the variable dimensions. The "cost" of variable dimensions is more work for the user of WFTA because the dimensions must be passed to the WFTA subroutine using more arguments in the subroutine call. The original version required:

```
CALL WFTA (XR, XI, N, INIT, IERR)
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The modified WFTA call is:

```
CALL WFTA (N, XR, XI, INIT, IERR, SR, SI, COEF,  
           M, INDX1, INDX2)
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where M = NMULT. The increased complexity of the second call is worth the savings of memory arrays.

3.5.7 Real Operations for the PFA. The real operation sources for the PFA are computed from reordering the data and performing the small-N DFTs. The unscrambling constant which maps the PFA result from arrays X and Y to arrays A and B requires N real additions and no multiplications.

The second source, computing the small-N DFTs using fast convolution, has been proven (Kolba and Park, 1977) for two factors ( $M_1 M_2$ ) to be:

$$\text{real mult} = 2(M_1 u_2 + M_2 u_1) \quad (3.333)$$

$$\text{real add} = 2(M_1 A_2 + M_2 A_1) \quad (3.334)$$

for three factors ( $M_1 M_2 M_3$ ):

$$\text{real mult} = 2(M_2 M_3 u_1 + M_1 M_3 u_2 + M_1 M_2 u_3) \quad (3.335)$$

$$\text{real add} = 2(M_2 M_3 A_1 + M_1 M_3 A_2 + M_1 M_2 A_3) \quad (3.336)$$

and for four factors ( $M_1 M_2 M_3 M_4$ ):

$$\begin{aligned} \text{real mult} = & 2(M_2 M_3 M_4 u_1 + M_1 M_3 M_4 u_2 + M_1 M_2 M_4 u_3 \\ & + M_1 M_2 M_3 u_4) \end{aligned} \quad (3.337)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{real add} = & 2(M_2 M_3 M_4 A_1 + M_1 M_3 M_4 A_2 + M_1 M_2 M_4 A_3 \\ & + M_1 M_2 M_3 A_4) \end{aligned} \quad (3.338)$$

where  $u_i$  is the number of multiplications required for  $M_i$  and  $A_i$  is the number of additions required for  $M_i$ . Notice that complex data transforms have been assumed in Eqs (3.333) through (3.338) and the number of multiplications and additions were multiplied by two.

As shown in the PFA theory chapter the small-N algorithms can be implemented by using "shifts" instead of multiplications by 1/2. The FORTRAN programs available do not make use of these shifts. Therefore, the operations count for the PFA small-N DFTs shown in Table 3.7 is modified to produce Table 3.10. Using the results of

TABLE 3.10  
PFA SMALL-N DFT OPERATIONS COUNT FOR NO SHIFTS

<u>N</u>	<u>MULT</u>	<u>ADD</u>
2	0	2
3	2	6
4	0	8
5	6	17
7	8	36
8	2	26
9	10	42
16	10	74

Eqs (3.333) through (3.338), the N adds required for the output mapping, and Table 3.10 the number of real multiplications and additions are listed for all permissible N values in Table 3.11a and b. The corresponding graphs in Figures 3.35 and 3.36 show the multiplications and additions as a function of N.

Even though this FORTRAN program did not use a shift to perform multiplication by 1/2, incorporating shifts into the small-N DFTs represents a significant savings of real multiplications. The major benefit would be in small computers where software multiplies are more costly relative to additions. The benefit of performing multiplications by using shifts is given in Table 3.1a and b under the PCT (percentage) column. PCT was calculated by:

$$PCT = ((M-MS)*100)/M \quad (3.339)$$

where M is the number of multiplications without using shifts and MS is the number using shifts. The percentage savings as a function of N was plotted in Figure 3.37 for all values of N.

3.5.8 Memory Requirements for PFA. The PFA program listed in Appendix I requires 770 words of program memory when compiled for the CDC Cyber 74 computer. The memory array requirements are given by:

$$X, Y, A, B: \text{ length } N$$

The memory array required by PFA is given by:

$$\text{array} = 4N$$

TABLE 3.11a  
PFA REAL OPERATIONS AND MEMORY COUNT FOR  $N \leq 72$

N	REAL MULT	REAL ADDS	MULT N/SHIFT	POI	MEMORY
2	1	0	1	1	8
3	1	12	2	1	12
4	1	2	3	1	16
5	12	30	4	17	20
6	8	42	5	17	24
7	18	70	13		28
8	1	12	1		32
9	24	63	13	2	36
10	24	91	13	33	40
12	18	120	1	37	44
14	36	150	32	1	48
16	30	174	31	70	52
18	2	164	21	1	56
19	54	202	32	21	72
20	42	236	32	33	76
21	70	321	12	16	80
23	1	270	23	31	84
24	94	405	14	1	112
26	120	410	31	33	120
30	110	633	174	17	124
32	64	510	11	21	128
34	110	572	33	27	132
36	122	721	121	11	136
38	210	771	112	21	140
40	120	681	22	21	144
42	130	994	143	1	208
44	120	801	133	33	144
46	200	1201	211	9	152
48	320	1406	211	11	156
50	190	1202	104	13	160

TABLE 3.11b  
PFA REAL OPERATIONS AND MEMORY COUNT FOR  $N \geq 80$

N	REAL MULT	REAL ADD	MULT N/SHIFT	POT	MEMORY
80	250	1304	245	21	32
90	300	162	245	15	375
100	415	1720	300	25	780
110	450	2315	300	24	100
120	590	2300	300	1	44
130	600	2100	300	30	40
140	600	280	312	9	4
150	600	3000	300	17	15
160	600	2820	300	12	170
170	600	3000	300	15	570
180	600	3000	300	25	720
200	1200	5000	300	30	800
210	1100	5000	300	25	90
220	1130	5200	1024	8	1000
230	1000	6000	1200	15	1100
240	1100	5000	1700	15	1200
250	1000	5000	1000	12	1700
260	1000	5000	1300	20	4000
270	1000	10000	1000	20	1000
280	1000	13000	2300	5	2000
290	1000	10000	2300	13	2000
300	1000	10000	2300	15	2000
320	1000	10000	1300	21	2000
340	1000	20000	2000	22	3000
360	1000	30000	3000	7	4000
380	1000	30000	3000	10	4000
400	1000	20000	3000	2	6000
420	1000	30000	1000	15	1000
440	1000	100000	7000	10	2000

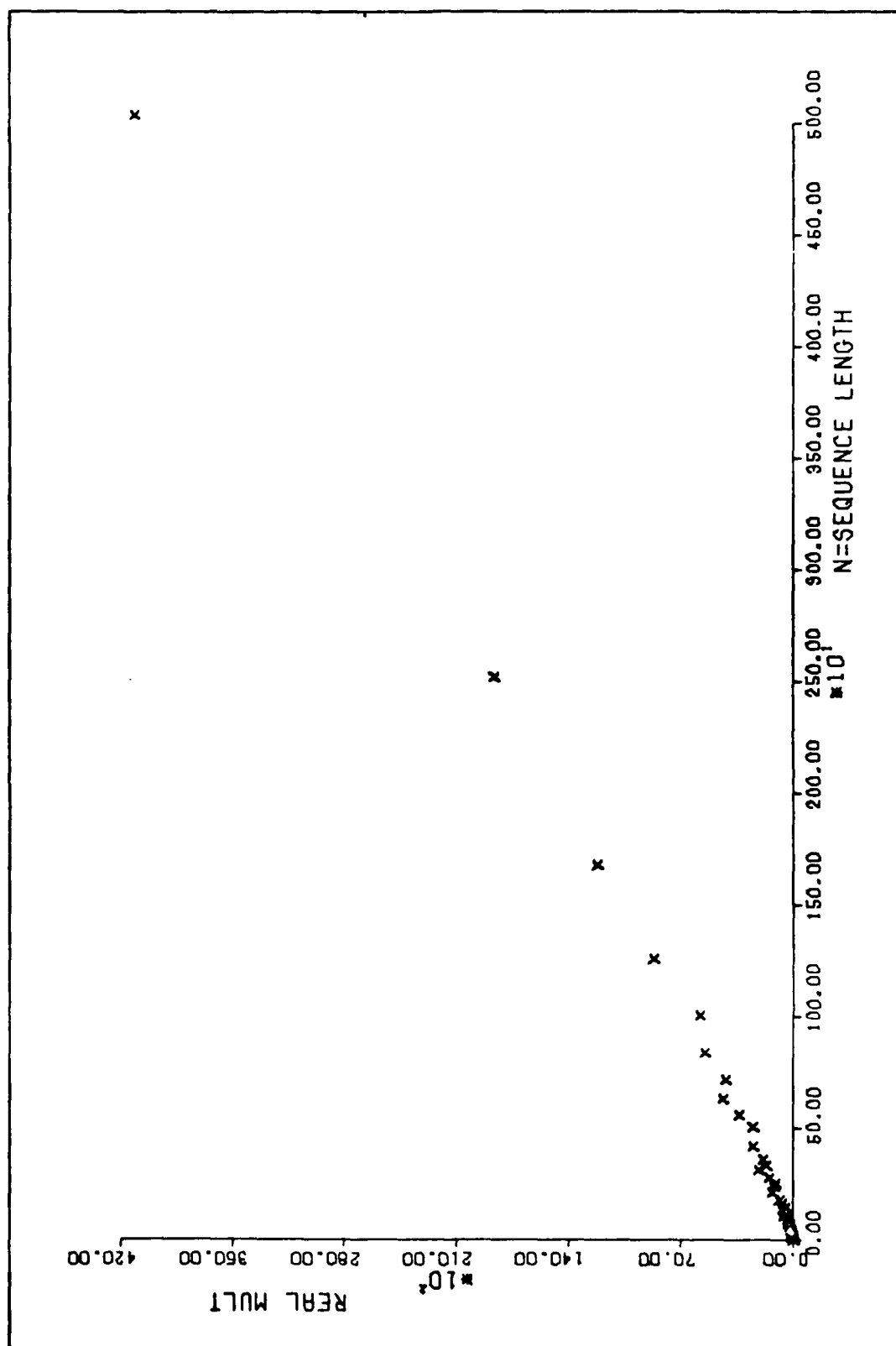


Figure 3.35. Real Multiplications for the PPA.



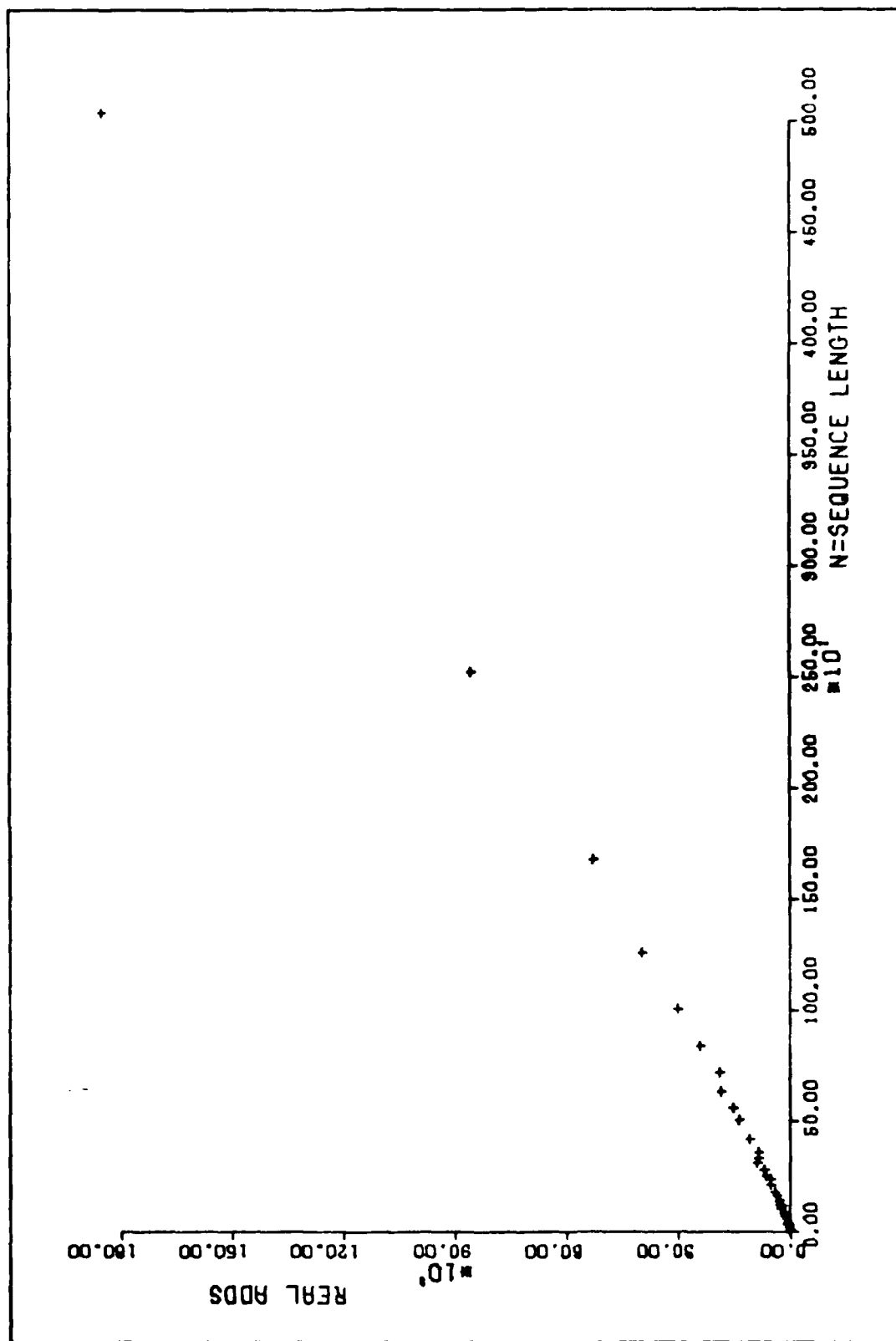


Figure 3.36. Real Additions for the PFA.

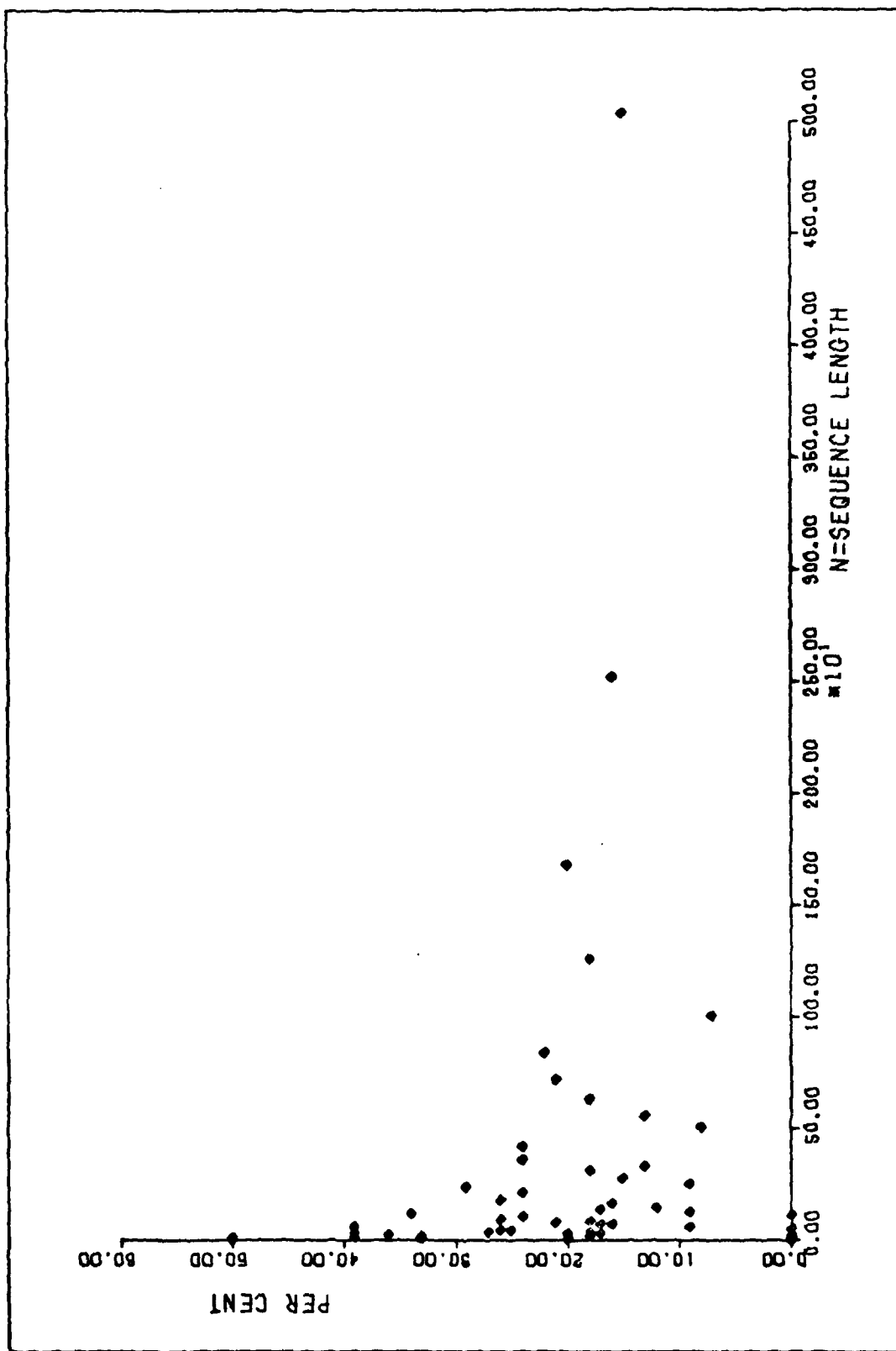


Figure 3.37. Percentage Savings of Multiplications by Using Shifts in PPA.

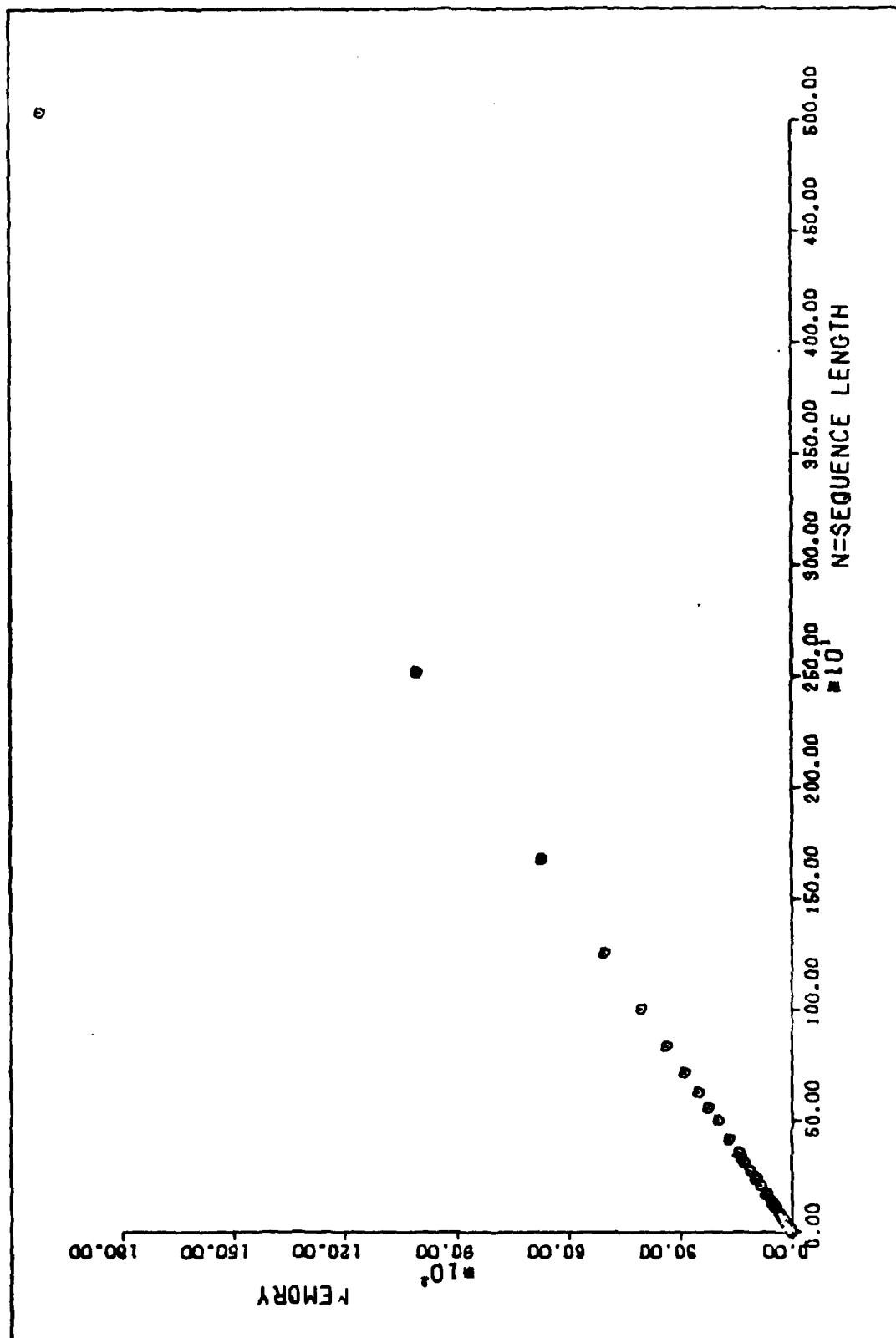


FIGURE 3.38. Memory Array Required by PFA.

and is listed in Table 3.11a and b and plotted in Figure 3.32.

3.5.9 Summary. Two algorithms which use high-speed convolution techniques have been presented. Both use the convolution for computing small- $N$  DFTs and both require  $N$  to be factored into relatively prime factors. This particular factorization used the Chinese Remainder Theorem and the "Sino correspondence" to reorder the data arrays. The theory, structure, and operations count was presented in this section.

#### IV. Comparison Results of Efficient Discrete Fourier Transforms

##### 4.1 Introduction

Several fixed radix and mixed radix algorithms have been studied and the number of real operations and memory count required have been computed in the preceding sections. The results from these sections are compared and presented here.

Tradeoffs and advantages of fixed radix and mixed radix algorithms are discussed, the justification for selecting Singleton's algorithm over the IMSL and mixed radix FFT is given, tables and graphs comparing the conventional mixed radix FFT with the fast convolution algorithms (WFTA and PFA) are presented and advantages of each are discussed. This chapter concludes with an algorithm which selects the most efficient algorithm based on memory available, machine speed, zeropacking, and sequence length. A flowchart implementation of the algorithm is included.

The timing tests in this section used the Cyber 74 system clock. This clock was accessed using the FORTRAN command SECOND(CP) which provides a timer accurate to .001 seconds. The transforms were all performed using samples from the function  $e^{-t} \cos 50\pi t$  which has the magnitude transform shown in Figure 4.1 for  $N=625$ .

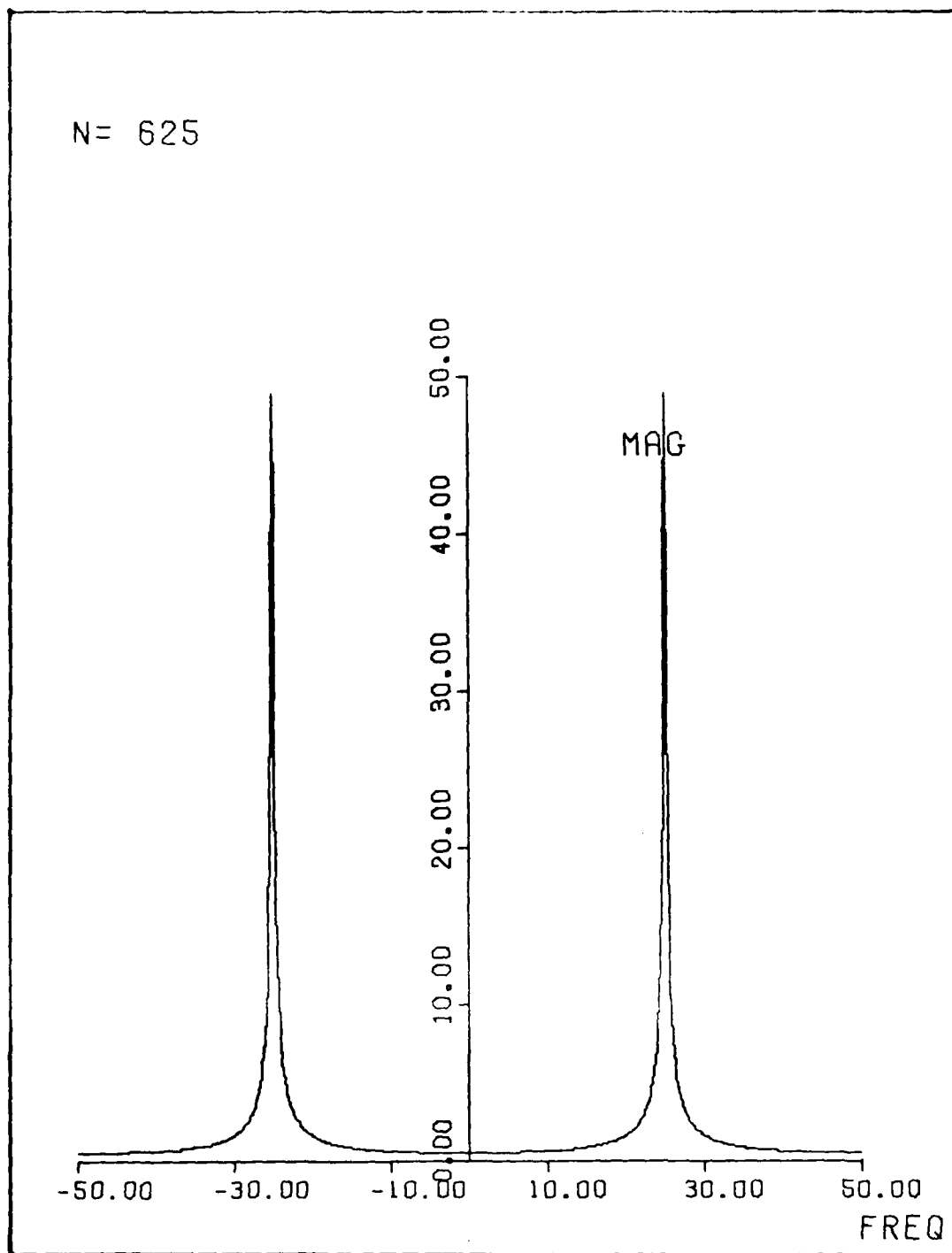


Figure 4.1. Fourier Transform of  $e^{-t} \cos 50\pi t$ .

The memory comparisons made in this chapter are based on memory array required. The program memory obtained from compilation on the Cyber 74 is not applicable to smaller machines and would not permit valid memory comparisons. The program memory required for the Cyber 74 is given to show the relative sizes of the algorithms.

#### 4.2 Conventional Radix-3 vs R(u) Field Radix-3

In the previous chapter the real operations count for these two radix-3 FFTs was given in Table 3.2. From this table the most efficient radix-3 algorithm can be selected based on machine speed. Validation of this table was performed using the CDC Cyber 74 computer which has a 1.1 multiply-to-add ratio and test data).

With a 1.1 multiply-to-add ratio Table 3.2 indicates that the conventional radix-3 algorithm is more efficient for all sequence lengths shown. The timing results in Table 4.1 verify this conclusion.

#### 4.3 Fixed Radix vs Mixed Radix FFTs

In Sections 3.3 and 3.4 the real operations count and memory requirements developed for the fixed radix and mixed radix FFTs. Using the results from these sections the real operations count and memory requirements are given in Table 4.2 along with results from timing tests conducted on the CDC Cyber 74. This table demonstrates that Singleton's mixed radix FFT (MFFT) minimizes the operations count for factors of 2, 3, and 5 to the level of the fixed radix algorithms.

TABLE 4.1  
RADIX-3 TIMING COMPARISON

<u>N</u>	<u>Conventional Radix-3 Time</u>	<u>R(u) Field Radix-3 Time</u>
27	.002	.003
81	.009	.011
243	.026	.034
729	.094	.117
2143	.305	.393



TABLE 4.2  
FIXED RADIX (FR) vs MIXED RADIX (MR) FFTs

N	Multiplications		Additions		Trig Library		Exponentiation		Memory Array		Address	
	FR	MR	FR	MR	FR	MR	FR	MR	FR	MR	FR	MR
27	274	313	515	452	1	1	0	0	141	70	1	12
32	444	206	512	435	5	1	0	14	64	84	1	12
64	1020	504	1278	1056	6	1	0	36	138	148	1	14
81	1138	1396	1273	1844	1	1	0	0	358	172	1	12
125	2154	2448	3227	3072	1	1	0	0	513	173	1	12
128	2300	1262	2612	2505	7	2	0	66	266	179	1	11
243	3378	5268	7211	6904	1	3	0	0	1007	184	1	11
256	5116	2850	6654	5683	8	3	0	158	512	181	1	11
512	11260	7988	14846	13802	9	10	0	578	1034	186	1	17
625	14764	16520	26827	20552	1	4	0	0	2524	175	1	17
729	15142	18332	27117	24684	1	10	0	0	2606	177	1	17
1024	24572	14568	51366	28436	10	11	0	652	2045	171	1	17
2048	53244	43366	71178	68127	11	20	0	1242	1196	172	1	14
2187	56866	65376	82311	83718	1	32	0	0	3785	174	1	14

The program memory required by each algorithm is given in Table 4.3. The large size of the MFFT is a result of the extra sections needed to transform any length transform and the extra FORTRAN code required to perform multi-variate transforms. None of the other FFTs are capable of performing multi-variate transforms without a significant amount of additional user programming. Singleton's MFFT can perform up to a tri-variate transform, however, this additional flexibility is a disadvantage on memory limited computers when performing single-variate FFTs.

The fixed radix and mixed radix FFTs are roughly equivalent in efficiency. The fixed radix FFTs offer a memory savings over the MFFT for all radix-2 transform sequence lengths shown in Table 4.2 and some of the radix-3 and 5 transform lengths. The main advantage the MFFT offers is the capability to transform any length sequence  $N$  while the fixed radix algorithms are limited to integer powers of 2, 3, and 5.

#### 4.4 Mixed Radix FFT Comparison: IMSL vs Singleton

In Chapter 3 and Appendix G the real operations and memory required for the IMSL and Singleton's mixed radix FFTs were derived as a function of  $N$ . Those two algorithms are now compared on the basis of real operations and memory and the best algorithm selected.

TABLE 4.3  
PROGRAM MEMORY REQUIRED BY FFTs

<u>FFT</u>	<u>Program Memory</u>
Radix-2	108
Radix-3	301
Radix-5	458
Singleton's Mixed Radix	1100

The expression for real multiplications and additions developed for Singleton's FFT is subtracted from the IMSL FFT expression for real operations to show the extra operations required by IMSL. Recall that both Singleton and IMSL versions of the FFT compute sine and cosine using the difference equation of Section 3.1. Both implement the sine and cosine computation similarly and require the same number of real operations to compute them.

Assuming that  $N$  can be factored as:

$$N = 2^r 3^s 4^t 5^u p_1^{m_1} \dots p_k^{m_k} \quad (4.1)$$

the difference in real multiplications between IMSL and Singleton's becomes:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{delta multiplies} &= [\text{IMSL multiplication expression}] \\ &\quad - [\text{Singleton multiplication expression}] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{delta multiplies} &= [2rN + 4sN + 3tN + 8 + 32(u)N/5 \\ &\quad + \sum_{i=1}^k (2(p_i-1) + 4(m_i)N(p_i-1)/p_i \\ &\quad + (m_i)N(p_i-1)^2/p_i) - 4(N-1) + KMULT] \\ &\quad - [2rN + 4sN + 3tN + 32uN/5 \\ &\quad + \sum_{i=1}^k (2(p_i-1) + (m_i)N(p_i-1)^2/p_i \\ &\quad + 4(m_i)N(p_i-1)/p_i) - 4(N-1) + KMULT] \\ &= 8 \end{aligned} \quad (4.2)$$

For large values of  $N$  the difference in multiplications is negligible.

The difference in real additions is derived from:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{delta} \\
 \text{adds} &= [\text{IMSL addition expression}] \\
 &\quad - [\text{Singleton addition expression}] \\
 \\
 \text{delta} \\
 \text{adds} &= [3rN + 6sN + 15tN/2 + 4 + 48(u)N/5 \\
 &\quad + \sum_{i=1}^k ((p_i-1) + 8(mi)N(p_i-1)/p_i \\
 &\quad + N(mi)(p_i-1)^2/p_i) - 2(N-1) + KADD] \\
 &\quad - [3rN + 16sN/3 + 11tN/2 + 8uN \\
 &\quad + \sum_{i=1}^k ((p_i-1) + 7N(mi)(p_i-1)/p_i \\
 &\quad + (mi)N(p_i-1)^2/p_i) - 2(N-1) + KADD] \\
 &= 2sN/3 + 2tN + 8uN/5 + 4 \\
 &\quad + N(p_i-1)/p_i \tag{4.3}
 \end{aligned}$$

The results from Eqs (4.2) and (4.3) demonstrate that the IMSL has approximately the same number of real multiplications but requires significantly more additions than Singleton's mixed radix algorithm. Based on these results and because the data reordering for the two subroutines is the same, the Singleton FFT is the most efficient of the two subroutines. This conclusion was confirmed by timing tests on the CDC Cyber 74 computer at AFIT. The results are shown in Table 4.4 for selected sequence lengths.

The memory array required for each of the algorithms was derived in the preceding chapter. Those results are now compared for  $N$  less than 200 and the percentage of array memory saved by Singleton's FFT over the IMSL FFT was plotted in Figure 4.2 using the equation:

TABLE 4.4  
TIMING RESULTS FOR IMSL AND SINGLETON FFTs

<u>N</u>	<u>IMSL Time (sec)</u>	<u>Singleton Time (sec)</u>
60	.010	.008
120	.018	.014
125	.019	.012
128	.013	.011
210	.039	.036
243	.031	.031
256	.028	.021
315	.054	.052
420	.081	.072
504	.090	.082
625	.128	.076
729	.107	.107
840	.163	.150
1008	.151	.157
1024	.126	.092
1250	.275	.158
1260	.268	.231
2048	.269	.224
2187	.366	.364
2520	.565	.495

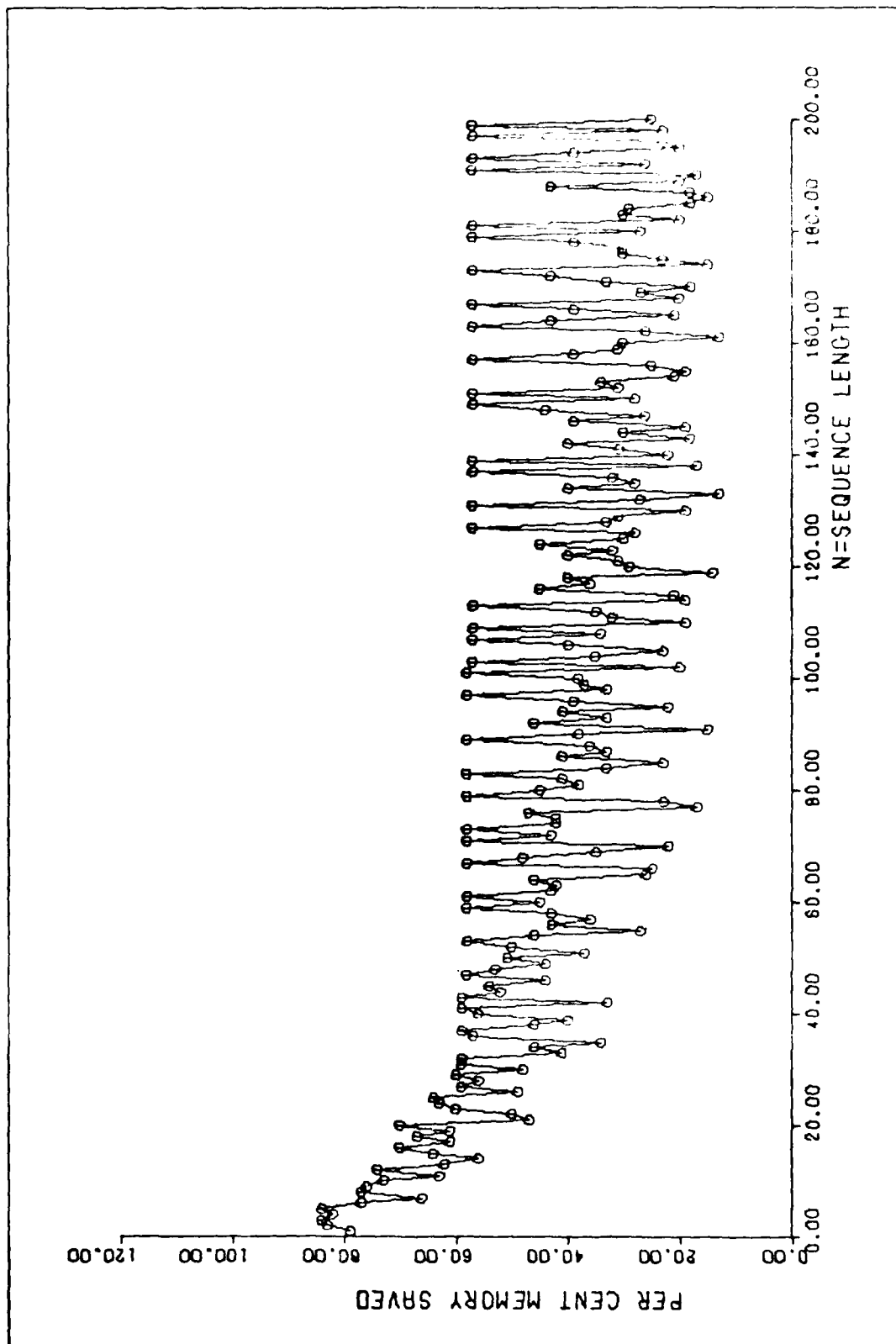


Figure 4.2. Memory Array Saved Using Singleton's Instead of IMSL's FFT.

$$\% \text{ savings} = (\text{MEMCC} - \text{MEMSNG}) \cdot 100 / \text{MEMCC} \quad (4.4)$$

where MEMCC = IMSL array memory

MEMSNG = Singleton's array memory

From the plot it is evident that Singleton's algorithm uses less memory than the IMSL program. The "flat" portion of the curve approaches 57% which can be verified by examination of Eqs (3.172) through (3.178) for N a prime number. This number represents the memory savings at the points where N is prime.

The values of M, K, KB, and JK used to compute the IWORD constant in Eq (3.173) are M=1, K=N, KB=N-2 and JK=1.

$$\text{IWORD} = 3 \cdot M + 3 + \text{MAX} (4 \cdot M + 7 + 6 \cdot K, \quad \text{KB} + 1 + 2 \cdot \text{JK}) \quad (4.5)$$

$$\text{IWORD} = 3 + 3 + \text{MAX} (6N + 11, N + 1) \quad (4.6)$$

$$\text{IWORD} = 6 \cdot N + 17 \quad (4.7)$$

Now the memory for IMSL given that N is prime becomes:

$$\text{MEMCC} = 2 \cdot N + 2(6 \cdot N + 17) \quad (4.8)$$

$$\text{MEMCC} = 14 \cdot N + 34 \quad (4.9)$$

The array memory required by Singleton's FFT is based on the values NP and KD. NP is dimensioned to one less than the product of the square free factors of N or if at most one square free factors is present, MP can be dimensioned to M+1 where M is the number of prime factors in N. KD is the size of arrays AT, BT, CK, and SK where KD equals the largest prime factor in N. Using these results the expression for array memory where N is prime becomes:

$$\text{MEMSNG} = 2 \cdot N + 4 \cdot \text{KD} + \text{NP} \quad (4.10)$$



Substituting for NP and KD this equation is:

$$\text{MEMSNG} = 2 \cdot N + 4 \cdot N + 2 \quad (4.11)$$

$$\text{MEMSNG} = 6 \cdot N + 2 \quad (4.12)$$

Substituting Eqs (4.9) and (4.12) into the percentage expression in Eq (4.4) is seen to approach approximately 57%:

$$\begin{aligned} \% \text{ savings} &= ((14 \cdot N + 34) - (6 \cdot N + 2)) \\ &\quad \cdot 100 / (14 \cdot N + 34) \end{aligned} \quad (4.13)$$

$$\% \text{ savings} = (8 \cdot N + 36) \cdot 100 / (14N + 34) \quad (4.14)$$

As N gets large Eq (4.14) becomes:

$$\% \text{ savings} \doteq 800N / 14N \doteq 57\% \quad (4.15)$$

which corresponds to the results shown by Figure 4.1.

The memory array must be added to the program memory to determine the size of the program. The program memory required by each algorithm was determined by compiling each algorithm for the CDC Cyber 74. The IMSL FFT used 1061 words and the Singleton FFT used 1100 words. The larger size of the Singleton FFT relative to the IMSL version is because of the extra FORTRAN code needed to perform multi-variate FFTs. These program memory figures are only applicable for the FORTRAN compiler used here at AFIT, however, they do provide a relative measure of the program memory size. Singleton's program requires about 3.7% more program memory.

The results for real operations count and memory required show that Singleton's mixed radix FFT is superior

to the FFT algorithm. For this reason Singleton's algorithm is chosen as a benchmark conventional FFT subroutine available for comparison to the WFTA and PFA in the following sections.

#### 4.5 Conventional vs Fast Convolution & Mixed Radix FFTs

Singleton's algorithm (MFFT) is referred to as a "conventional" FFT because it uses the Cooley-Tukey decimation and reordering of the data array. The WFTA and PFA use Winograd's small-N fast convolution algorithms to perform the DFT. The operation and memory array counts are presented in Figures 4.3 and 4.4 and Tables 4.5a and b. as a function of N for comparison of the three algorithms. These tables and plots illustrate the advantages and disadvantages of each algorithm and are used along with the fixed radix results in Table 4.2 to select the most efficient algorithm for a particular sequence length and machine capability (size and speed).

The tables and plots refer to the algorithms as MFFT (Singleton), WFTA (Winograd), and PFA (Kolba-Parks). The PFA used for operation counts and memory comparisons is the one described by Burrus and Eschenbacher which includes prime power factors of 2,3,4,5,7,8,9 and 16. The FORTRAN coded program for PFA was obtained from C. S. Burrus of Rice University and does not make use of "shifts" for multiplications by 1/2. Both the WFTA and MFFT FORTRAN programs were obtained from the IEEE Press "Programs for Digital Signal Processing".

The memory comparison was based on memory array only and did not include program memory. This was done because the program memory changes based on machine word length. The program memory required for the Cyber 74 is given for each algorithm so the relative size can be compared.

4.5.1 Real Operations Count. The mixed radix MFFT written by Singleton includes special sections for factors of 2, 3, 4, and 5 as well as a general section for odd prime factors which permits the transformation of any positive integer N length sequence. Because of the special sections the operations count is less for an N which is highly factorable by 2, 3, 4, or 5 instead of higher prime powers. Figure 4.3 and 4.4 demonstrate the efficiency of Singleton's MFFT relative to the radix-2 complex transform multiplications and additions count of  $2N \log_2 N$  and  $3N \log_2 N$  respectively (Winograd, 1976). The MFFT operations count shown in Figures 4.3a,b and 4.4a,b are for N factorable by 2, 3, 4, or 5 combinations thereof. The WFTA and PFA counts are shown for all 59 sequence lengths which they can transform. Recall from Section 3.4 and 3.5 that WFTA and PFA sequence lengths are limited by the data reordering algorithm used by the WFTA and PFA. These figures also reflect the WFTA "post-initialization" operations count. As shown in Section 3.5 the post-initialization count is significantly less than the number of operations required for the initial transform of length N.

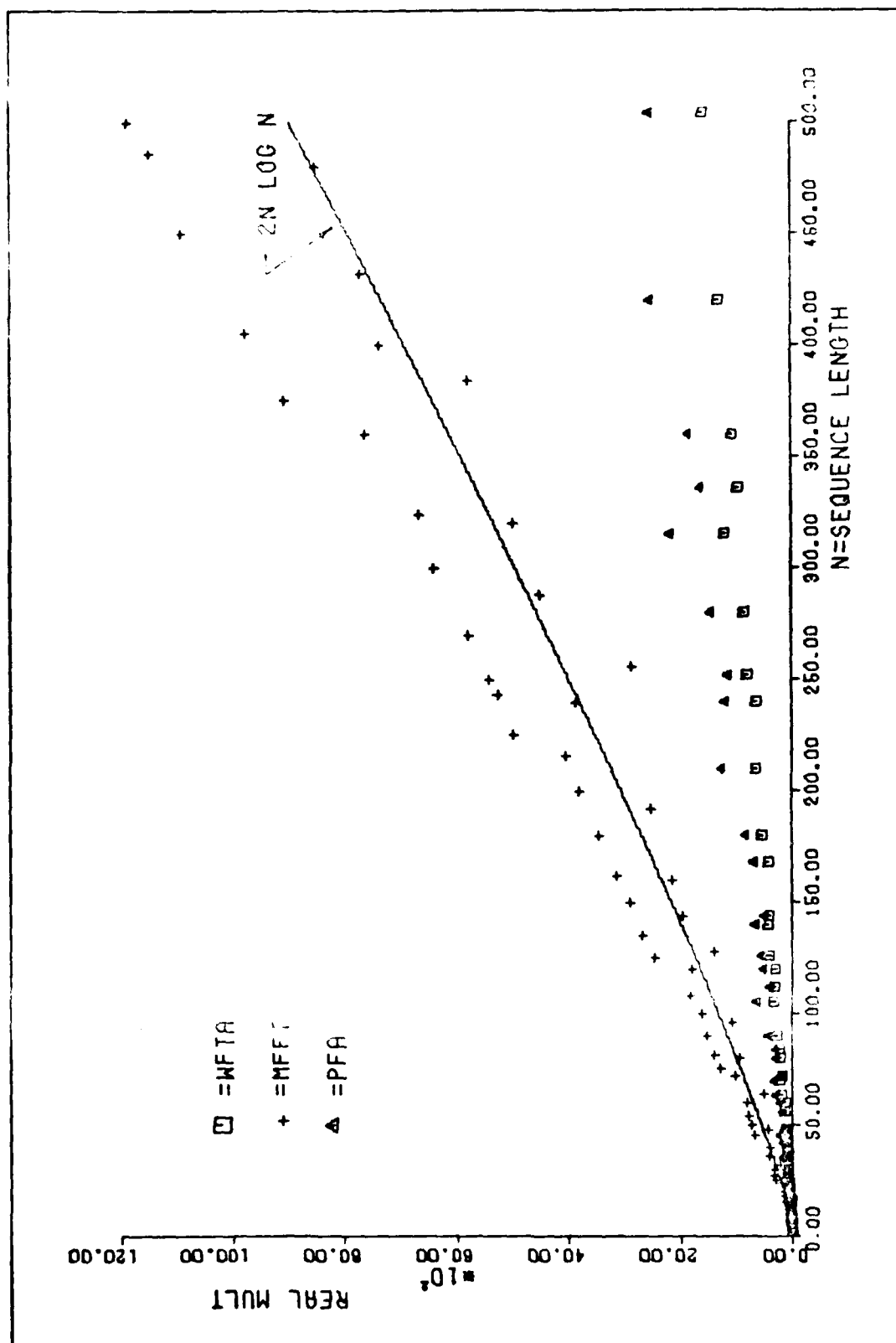


Figure 4.3a. Real Multiplication Comparison for PFA, WFTA, and MFPT ( $N=500$ ).

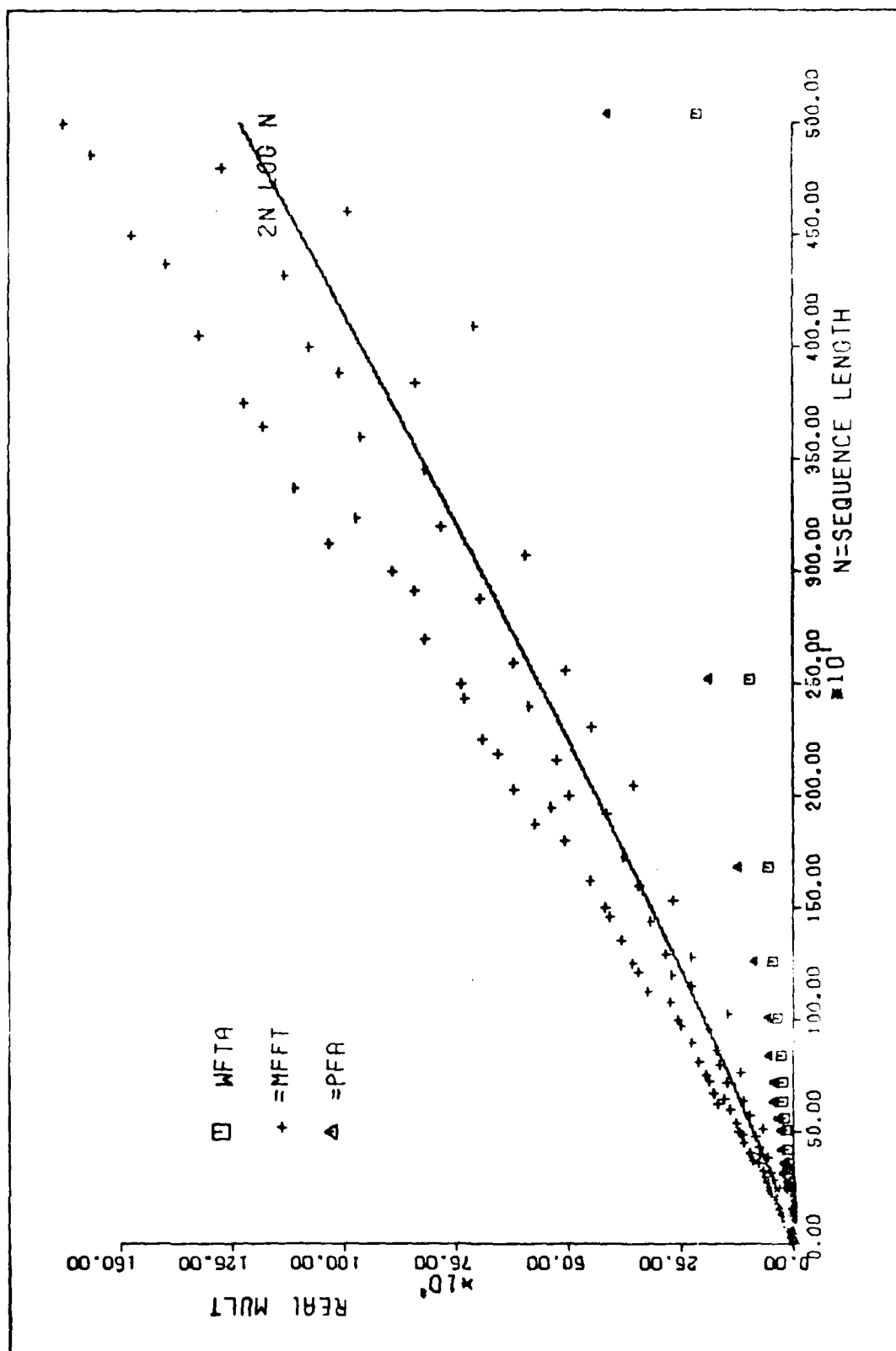


Figure 4.3b. Real Multiplication Comparison for PFA, WFTA, and MFPT (N=5000).

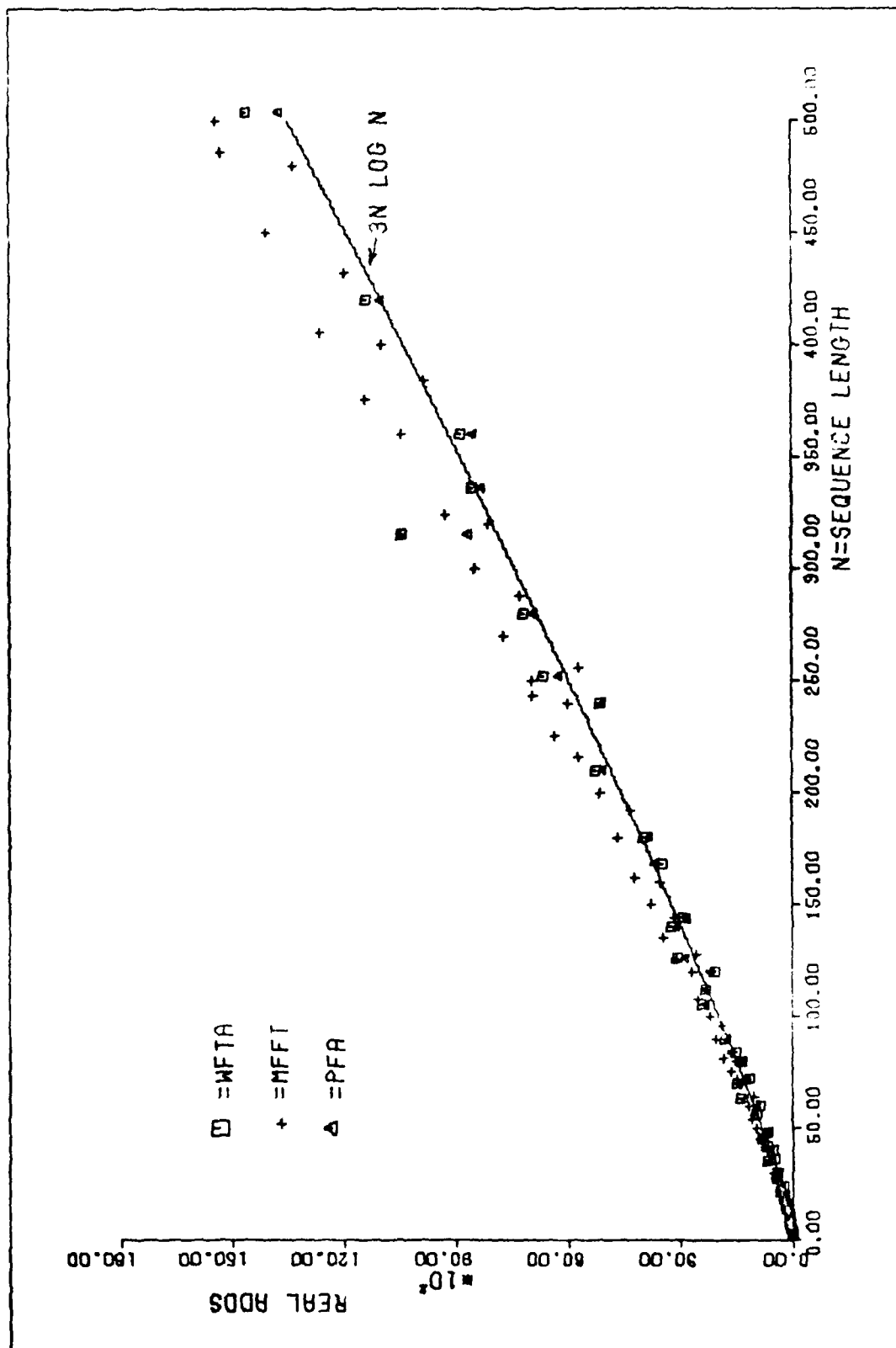


Figure 4.4a. Real Addition Comparison for PFA, WFTA, and MFFT (N=500).

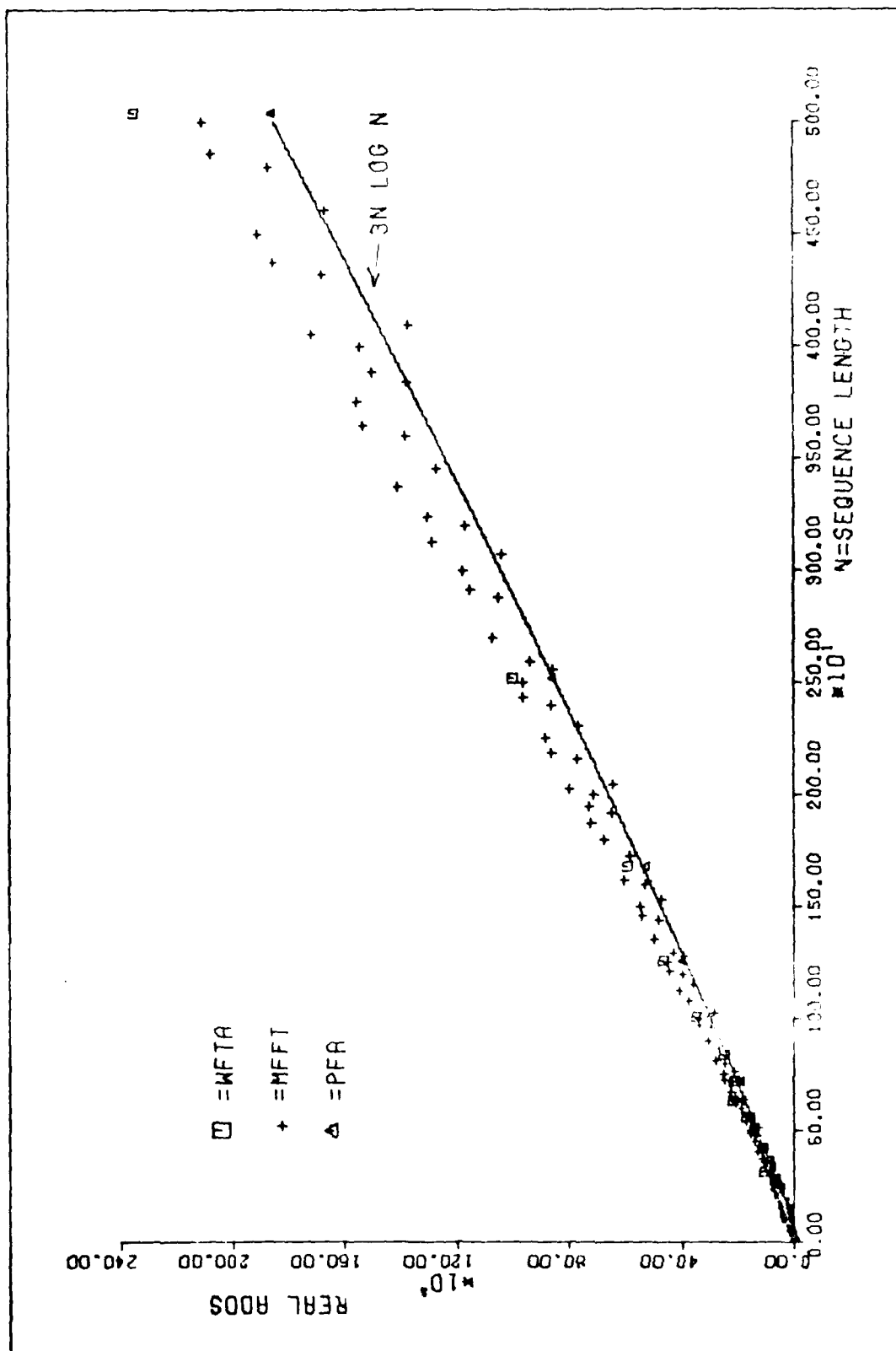


Figure 4.4b. Real Addition Comparison for PFA, WFTA, and MFFT (N=5000).

TABLE 4.5a  
OPERATIONS AND MEMORY ARRAY COMPARISON FOR MFFT, WFTA, AND PFA

N	REAL MULT			REAL ADDS			MEMORY ARRAY			PFA
	MFFT	WFTA	PFA	MFFT	WFTA	PFA	MFFT	WFTA		
2	0	4	2	4	4	5	10	102	8	
3	4	6	4	12	12	15	12	109	12	
4	8	8	6	15	16	20	14	116	16	
5	16	12	12	32	34	33	15	126	20	
6	16	12	8	40	36	42	22	134	24	
7	40	16	15	72	72	73	44	143	28	
8	24	16	20	62	52	60	23	144	32	
9	60	22	23	92	88	83	24	157	36	
10	52	24	24	96	88	98	34	164	40	
12	58	24	15	126	96	109	31	172	48	
14	116	36	32	136	172	135	73	198	56	
15	144	36	55	200	152	177	49	212	60	
16	66	36	27	167	148	154	46	216	64	
18	158	44	41	258	212	222	42	220	72	
20	154	48	43	265	216	235	47	240	80	
21	204	54	75	356	310	321	91	253	84	
24	184	48	44	330	252	276	58	256	96	
28	314	72	54	406	400	428	87	306	112	
30	324	72	112	484	384	414	94	316	128	
32	516	108	154	576	666	543	133	396	140	
36	434	88	93	510	496	516	87	364	144	
40	436	96	115	582	532	572	94	332	160	
42	472	108	132	822	684	726	154	418	168	
48	434	132	203	560	814	771	97	400	180	
56	702	108	124	787	550	584	103	442	192	
60	702	144	155	1112	940	336	154	526	224	
64	834	144	224	1174	88	348	133	544	240	
68	1096	198	234	1440	88	1209	157	637	252	
72	1104	216	323	1550	1472	1475	238	692	280	
72	1024	176	135	1522	1172	1212	152	540	288	



TABLE 4.5b

## OPERATIONS AND MEMORY ARRAY COMPARISON FOR MFFT, WFTA, AND PFA

N	REAL MULT			REAL ADDS			MEMORY ARRAY		
	MFFT	WFTA	PFA	MFFT	WFTA	PFA	MFFT	WFTA	PFA
80	922	216	292	1527	1352	1354	157	732	320
84	1726	216	314	1921	1336	1320	217	748	336
90	1926	264	415	2144	1358	1722	194	844	350
105	2114	324	532	2705	2418	2319	343	934	421
112	1957	324	395	2497	2332	2390	255	1022	446
120	1734	280	513	2590	2376	2195	274	1050	480
126	2424	396	553	3266	3068	2350	294	1166	544
140	2524	432	555	3544	3224	3132	343	1296	560
164	1950	390	501	3173	2916	2320	295	1258	576
166	2830	432	592	4344	3492	3555	405	1453	672
170	3448	528	352	4553	3976	3314	355	1500	720
210	4296	648	1254	5590	5256	5158	658	1940	840
240	3649	643	1135	5951	5136	5552	693	2020	950
252	5392	792	1135	7326	6600	6204	576	2254	1055
260	5443	864	1452	7592	7112	6334	656	2514	1120
315	7572	1168	2175	9008	10406	8637	693	3150	1260
336	6134	972	1535	9347	8508	8244	721	2890	1344
360	7508	1356	1944	1240	6952	8518	734	3112	1440
420	9434	1296	2523	13576	11352	10356	973	3712	1680
504	11732	1584	2524	15116	14546	13568	1051	4480	2015
504	11510	1944	3324	17109	17168	15318	1183	5244	2240
570	18356	2376	4352	21526	22572	18534	1353	6172	2520
720	18356	2376	4223	21767	21312	19396	1448	6532	2650
840	18356	2592	5473	25329	24314	24012	1918	7336	3360
1008	22320	2564	5804	33531	34568	30178	2009	9455	4032
1200	35230	4752	8714	45658	45664	39518	2993	12256	5040
1584	41550	5832	12212	51565	59154	52544	3493	15556	5720
2020	75564	5904	13553	101146	95528	85475	5173	24424	10300
2640	145252	21384	41115	203737	233928	134312	17143	52324	20150

As a demonstration of the improvement in the post-initialization WFTA consider the timing results of Table 4.6. The data presented here was collected by timing the individual subroutines (INISHL, PERM 1, WEAVE 1, MULT, WEAVE 2, PERM 2) in the WFTA for different sequence lengths and then dividing the time required for each subroutine by the total time for all of the subroutines. Comparing the MFFT and PFA against the post-initialized WFTA is assumed to be valid because most applications of DFTs involve the repeated transform of N length sequences.

A point by point comparison of MFFT, WFTA, and PFA real operations is presented in Table 4.7. The sequence lengths in these tables represent the only lengths permissible for both PFA and WFTA, whereas the mixed radix MFFT can transform any sequence length. The operations count presented in Tables 4.2, 4.7 with a computer's multiply and add speed can predict the most efficient (fastest) DFT technique for that particular computer.

Using the multiply and add speeds determined for the CDC Cyber 74 (see Appendix J) as  $1.9 \times 10^{-6}$  seconds and  $1.7 \times 10^{-6}$  seconds, respectively, the algorithms execution speeds were predicted from the operations count in Tables 3.9 and 4.7. The predicted execution speeds do not account for all of the actual execution time measured as shown in Figure 4.5. The extra time which was not predicted by the real operations count comes from array indexing and data reordering needed in all of

TABLE 4.6  
TIMING RESULTS FROM THE WFTA SUBROUTINES

<u>N</u>	<u>INISHL</u>	<u>PERM 1</u>	<u>WEAVE 1</u>	<u>MULT</u>	<u>WEAVE 2</u>	<u>PERM 2</u>
315	48.0%	7.5%	16.3%	4.5%	16.3%	7.4%
360	47.0%	5.9%	15.7%	5.9%	21.6%	3.9%
630	43.9%	5.6%	18.7%	5.6%	21.5%	4.7%
720	44.0%	3.5%	20.0%	6.1%	22.8%	3.6%
840	34.5%	5.5%	23.6%	6.4%	23.6%	6.4%
1008	48.0%	1.7%	19.2%	6.2%	21.5%	3.4%
1260	38.2%	5.3%	18.1%	6.4%	27.7%	4.3%

Results are given as % of total time  
to execute WFTA.

TABLE 4.7

MEASURED AND PREDICTED TIMING RESULTS FOR MFFT, WFTA, AND PFA

N	MFFT (m)	MFFT (s)	WFTA (m)	WFTA (p)	WFTA2 (m)	WFTA2 (p)	PFA (m)	PFA (p)
60	.008	.004	.008	.004	.004 (.002)	.002	.004	.002
126	.019	.011	.018	.011	.012	.006	.010	.006
210	.034	.018	.033 (.002)	.018	.018	.010	.019	.011
252	.037	.024	.032	.022	.020	.013	.019	.013
315	.052	.031	.066 (.002)	.032	.032 (.003)	.020	.034	.019
360	.047	.032	.046 (.002)	.030	.025	.017	.027	.015
420	.072	.041	.057	.037	.034	.022	.056 (.002)	.023
504	.082	.050	.074 (.002)	.046	.039	.028	.074	.028
630	.109 (.002)	.068	.110	.066	.064	.042	.109	.040
720	.083	.064	.106	.067	.061	.041	.085 (.002)	.042
840	.151	.086	.105 (.003)	.077	.067	.047	.075	.051
1008	.157	.100	.178 (.002)	.104	.091 (.002)	.066	.091 (.002)	.062
1260	.231	.147	.193	.137	.117	.088	.113	.084
2520	.491	.315	.413 (.006)	.285	.255 (.005)	.187	.449 (.002)	.141

Notation - all times given in seconds

- (m) is measured and (p) is predicted times for execution

- quantities in parentheses are standard deviations in excess of .001 seconds

- WFTA used for initialization subroutine and WFTA2 was not reinitialized

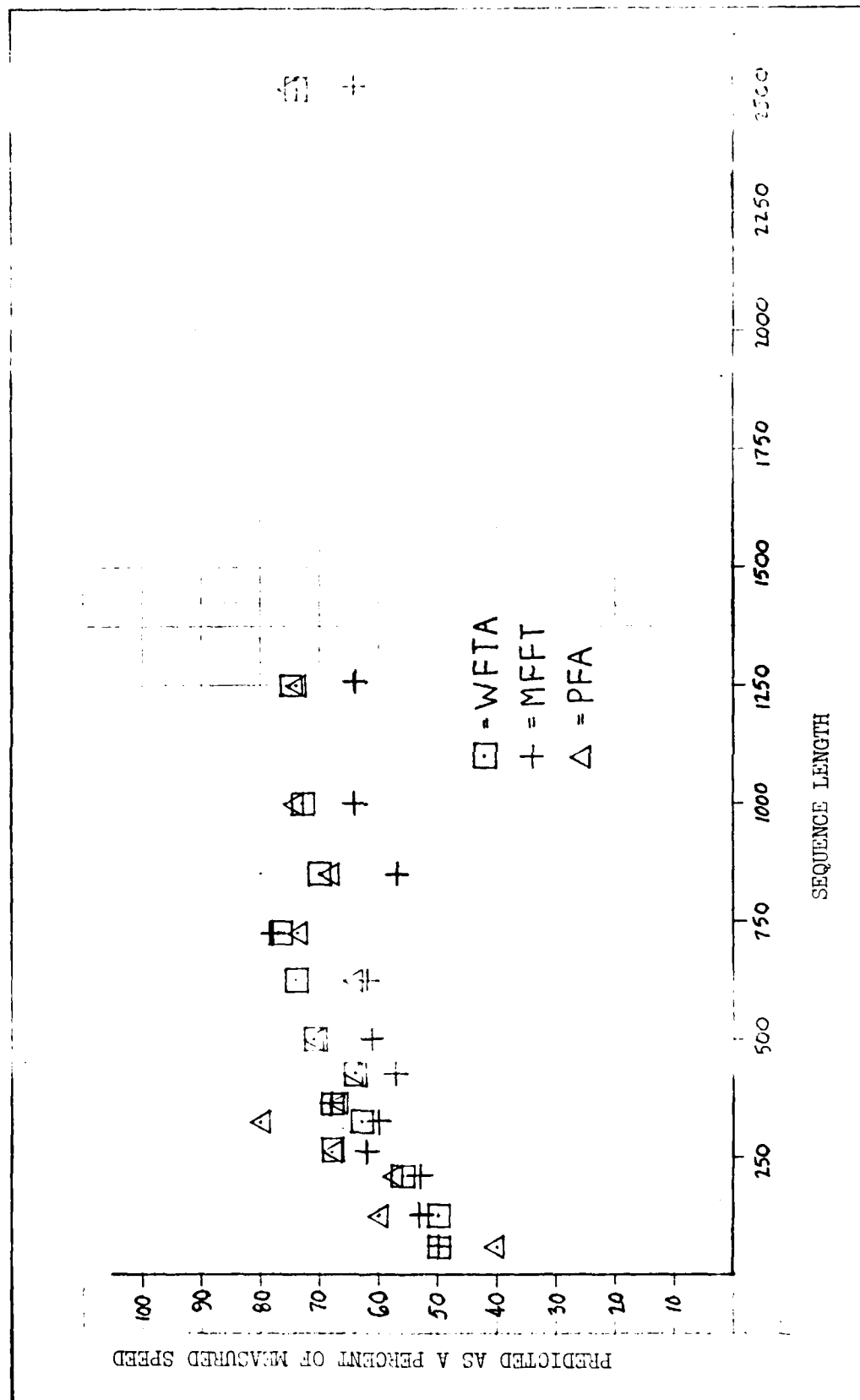


Figure 4.5. Predicted Times of Execution as a Percentage of Measured Speed for the MFET, WFTA, and PFA.

the algorithm, however, the predicted execution times based only on real operations are sufficient to select the most efficient algorithm as demonstrated by Table 4.7.

The timing results in Table 4.7 compare one-to-one with the predicted times (given the standard deviations shown in parentheses) for all three algorithms. Several observations can be made from Table 4.7. First, the WFTA1 which represents the initial transform made by WFTA may be slower than MFFT for certain sequence lengths. An example of this is  $N=315$ ,  $630$ , and  $720$ , all of which were correctly predicted to be slower from the operations counts in Tables 3.9 and 4.6. Second, the post-initialized WFTA2 and the PFA were predicted to be, and are, faster than MFFT for all sequence lengths. Third, the PFA and WFTA2 (post-initialization) are close in efficiency for all sequence lengths.

4.5.2 Memory. The memory array for MFFT, WFTA, and PFA was compiled from the previous chapter and presented in Figure 4.6 and Table 4.5a and b. The figure clearly demonstrates how much less memory array is required by MFFT.

These results are due to the efficient data reordering technique of MFFT which can essentially be done in place with very little additional memory relative to the sequence length. The WFTA and PFA base their data reordering on the Chinese Remainder Theorem and require an additional two length  $N$  arrays for PFA. The WFTA uses even more memory array because of the algorithm's structure which "nest" multiplications inside all the additions. This requires

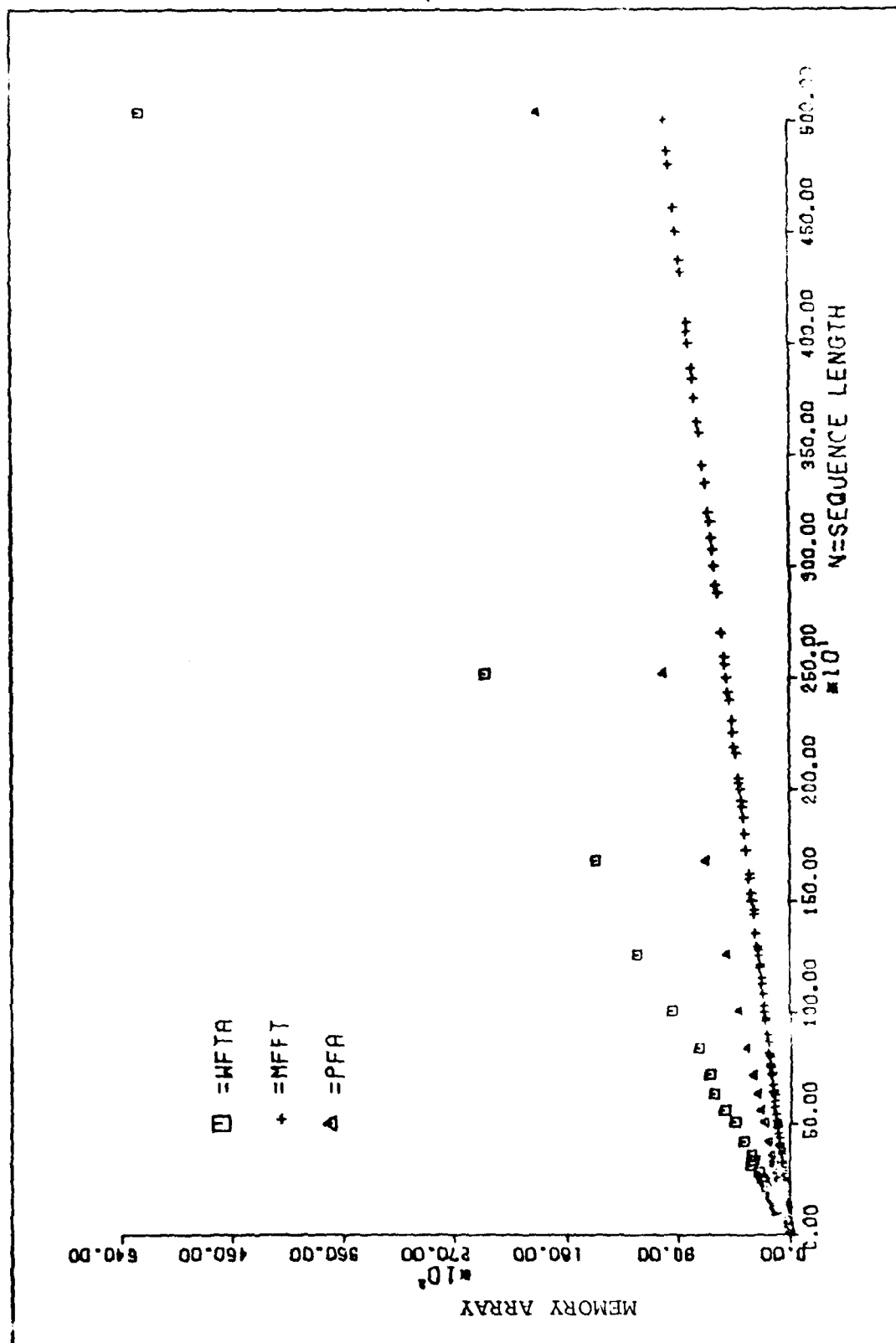


Figure 4.6. Memory Arrays Required by MFFT, WFTA, and PFA.

three additional arrays of length  $M = m_1 \times m_2 \times m_3 \times m_4 \times m_5$  are the multiplications required for the  $f_1$  to  $f_5$  and  $g_1$  to  $g_5$  store the multiplication coefficients and provide working array storage because the WFTA is not computed in-place.

The program memory was not included in the calculations for comparison because program memory required depends on the machine word size. The program memory required on the Cyber 74 for each algorithm is:

PFA program memory = 770 words

WFT program memory = 2348 words

FFT program memory = 1100 words

These results were achieved from the standard compiler command FTN for the FORTRAN IV language. For short sequences these program memory requirements contribute significantly to the choice of the most memory efficient algorithm.

**4.5.3 WFTA vs PFA Operations Count.** The tradeoffs between WFTA and PFA for real multiplications and additions can be seen in Figures 4.3 and 4.4. In most cases the WFTA requires less multiplications but more additions than PFA. The selection of the most efficient algorithm then becomes dependent on machine speed of real addition compared to real multiplication. As an example of this tradeoff between additions and multiplications consider the case of  $N=630$ . For this sequence length the PFA requires 4352 multiplications and 18534 additions while the WFTA requires 2376 multiplications and 22072 additions. Assuming the machine add speed of  $1.7 \times 10^{-6}$  seconds and a multiply speed of



$1.9 \times 10^{-6}$  seconds. The predicted execution speed for the PFA is  $.042$  seconds and the WFTA speed is  $.042$  seconds. For the selected add and multiply speed PFA was faster. However, consider the case where a multiply requires three times the addition speed or  $5.2 \times 10^{-6}$  seconds. For the same  $N=630$  the PFA speed is predicted to be  $.054$  seconds and the WFTA speed is  $.050$  seconds. With the increase in multiply time from  $1.9$  to  $5.1$  microseconds the WFTA became the more efficient algorithm. This example illustrated why the add and multiply speed must be known to select the fastest algorithm for a particular sequence length  $N$ .

The effects of changing the multiply to add ratio from 1 to 20 is shown in Figure 4.7a, b, and c for MFFT, WFTA, and PFA. For the sequences  $N=315$  and  $1008$  the PFA is most efficient at the low multiply to add ratios but as the multiplies are "more costly" the WFTA soon becomes the most efficient. For  $N=30$  the WFTA is the most efficient for all ratios.

#### 4.6 Flexibility of the FFT Algorithms

It is clear from the plots in Figures 4.3, 4.4, and data in Table 4.2 that the fixed radix FFT, PFA, and WFTA are somewhat limited in permissible sequence lengths, whereas the mixed radix FFT provides a much more "dense" selection even for sequence lengths factorable by only 2, 3, 4, or 5. The restriction in possible values for  $N$

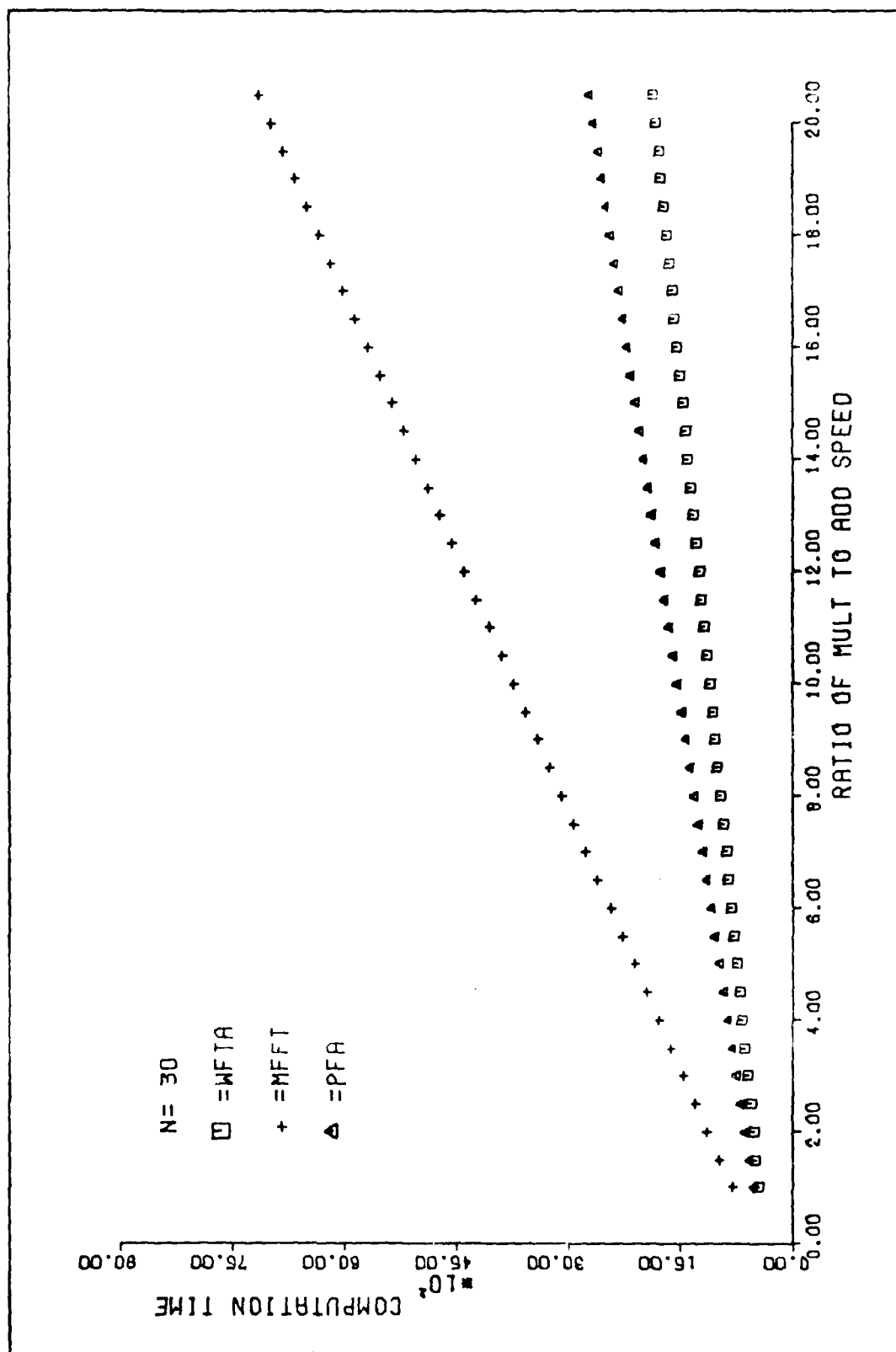


Figure 4.7a. Relative Efficiencies of MFFT, WFTA, and PFA.

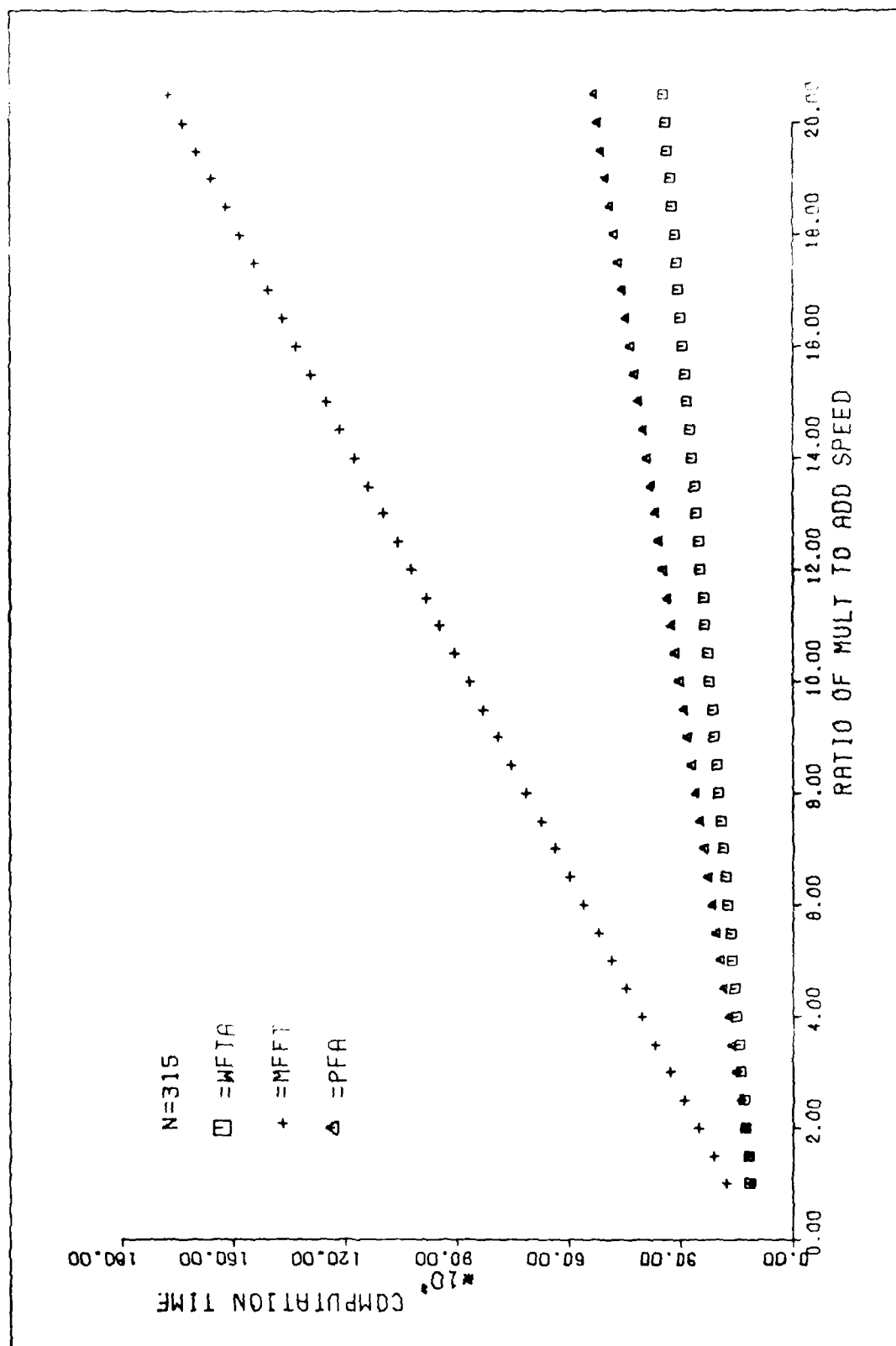


Figure 4.7b. Relative Efficiencies of MFFT, WFTA, and PFA.

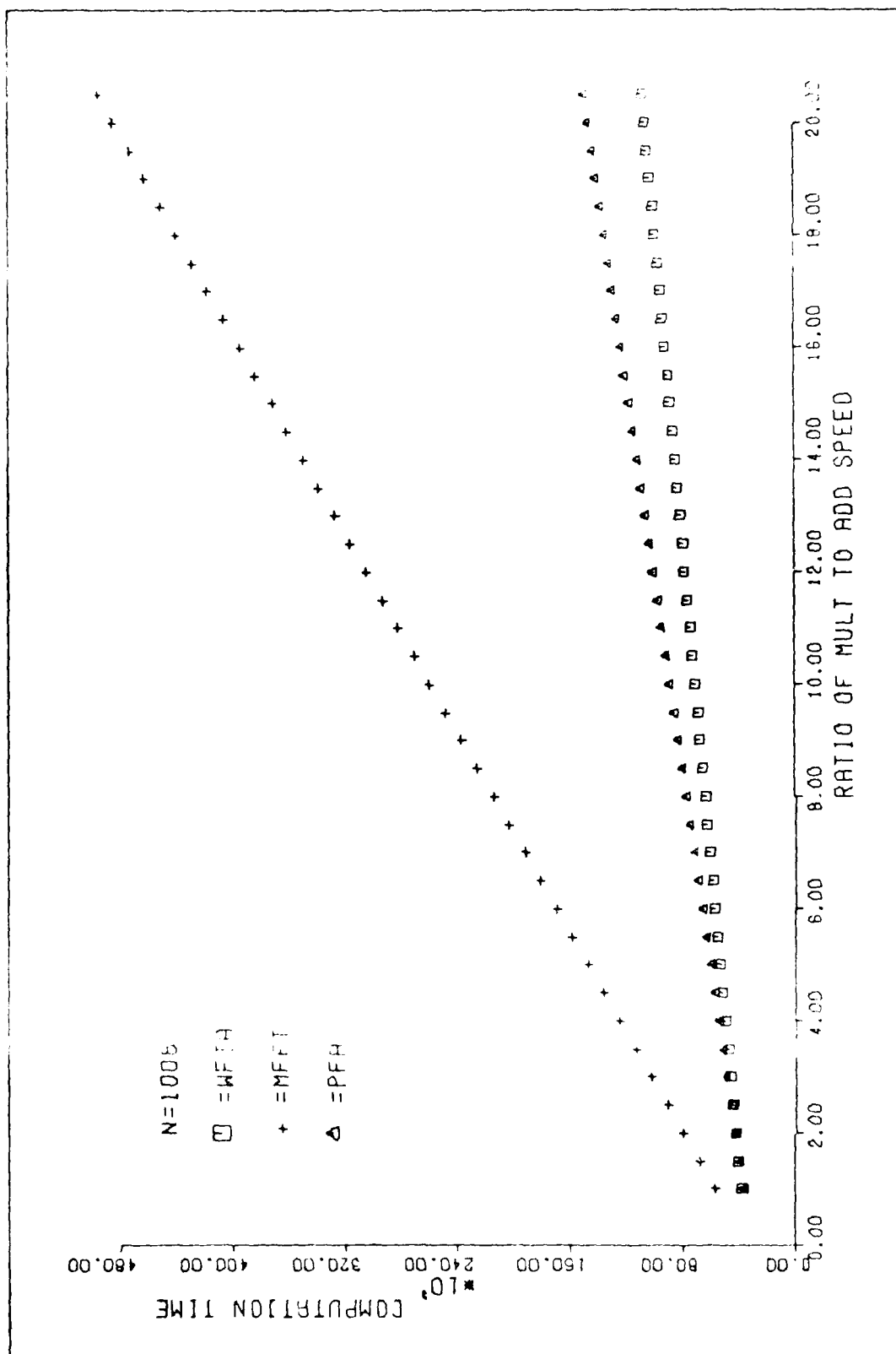


Figure 4.7c. Relative Efficiencies of MEFT, WFTA, and PFA.

in PFA and WFTA is because of the data reordering requirement that  $N$  must be a product of prime factors from the set 2,3,4,5,7,8,9 and 16. This limits  $N$  to four factors and a maximum value of 5040. The fixed radix algorithms are even more restricted than PFA or WFTA because they can transform only sequence length which are an integer power of 2, 3, or 5.

#### 4.7 An Algorithm to Select the Most Efficient DFT Technique.

The results of this chapter are used to develop a systematic approach to selecting the most efficient DFT method from the fixed radix FFTs, mixed radix FFT (MFFT), WFTA, and PFA. A flowchart is presented which selects the most efficient algorithm based on real operations, computer memory, machine speed, and sequence length. The algorithm requires inputs of machine speed for add and multiply, sequence length, zeropack limits, and computer memory. This algorithm also assumes that the same length sequence will be repeatedly transformed such that the WFTA is initialized only once.

##### 4.7.1 Arguments. The algorithm requires inputs:

MEM: Computer memory available for use

N: Sequence length to be transformed

NP: The upper limit to which the sequence length can be filled to reach an efficient transform length.

A: Machine addition speed

M: Machine multiplication speed

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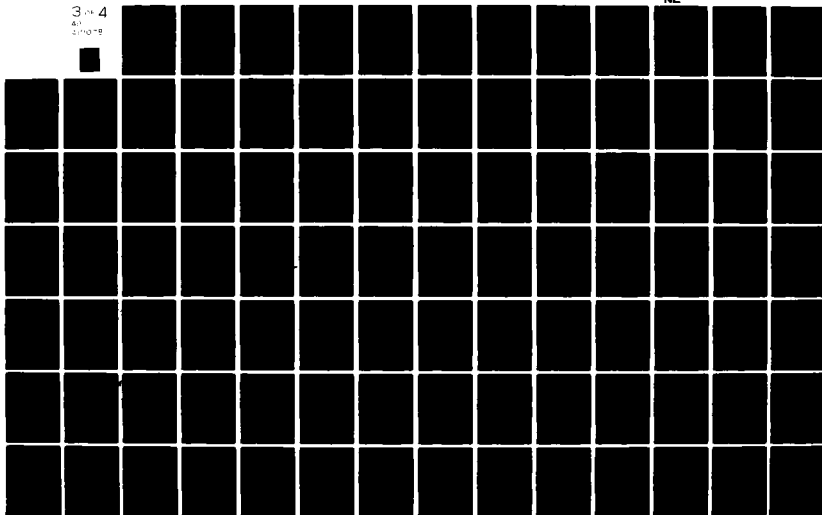
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4.7.2 Usage. The algorithm is presented as a flow-chart. The basic logic of the algorithm is:

- (1) Zeropack (if permitted) to the nearest WFTA or PFA sequence length.
- (2) Determine the memory requirements for the WFTA and PFA.
- (3) If WFTA and PFA both fit in computer memory available, select between the two by using real operations and computer speed.
- (4) If only PFA or WFTA fit in computer memory, select the one that fits.
- (5) If neither PFA nor WFTA will fit in computer memory, zeropack to nearest N an integer power of 2, 3, or 5. Choose the most efficient algorithm from the fixed radix FFT and MFFT based on real operations counts and machine speed.
- (6) If fixed radix FFT cannot be used, zeropack to nearest N factorable by 2, 3, or 5 and use the mixed radix FFT.

Using the flow diagram of Figure 4.8a, b, and c along with the specified tables selects the most efficient algorithm.

An example for  $N=410$  demonstrates the use of Figure 4.8 and the tables in this paper to select the most efficient DFT. Given that  $A=450$  nanoseconds (ns),  $M=1000$  ns, 10% zeropacking permitted, and no memory limitations, the most efficient algorithm can be selected.

- (1) MEM is very large and is not a limitation
- (2)  $N=410$
- (3)  $NP=410 + .10(410) = 451$

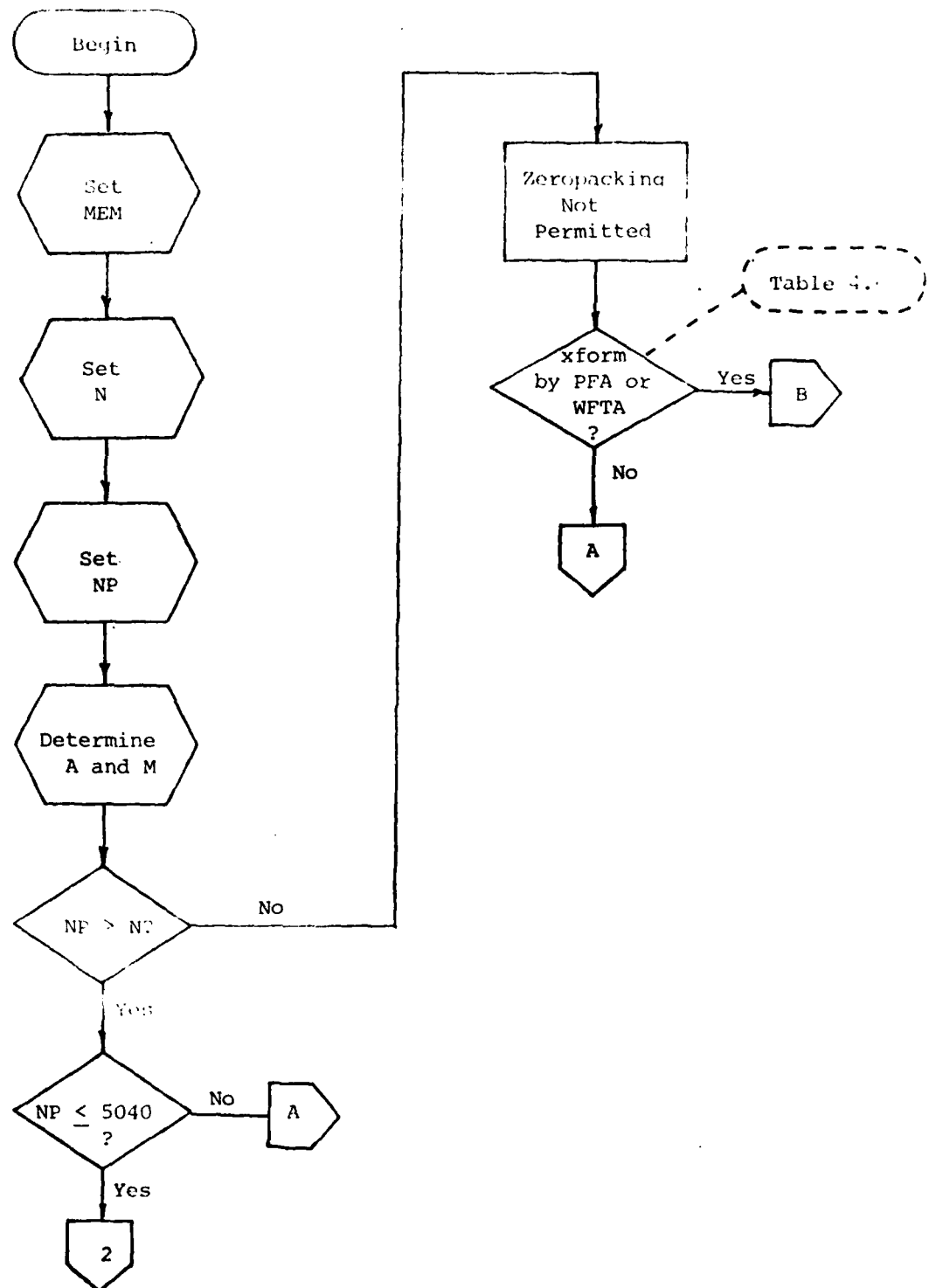


Figure 4.8a. Flowchart to Select Most Efficient Algorithm.



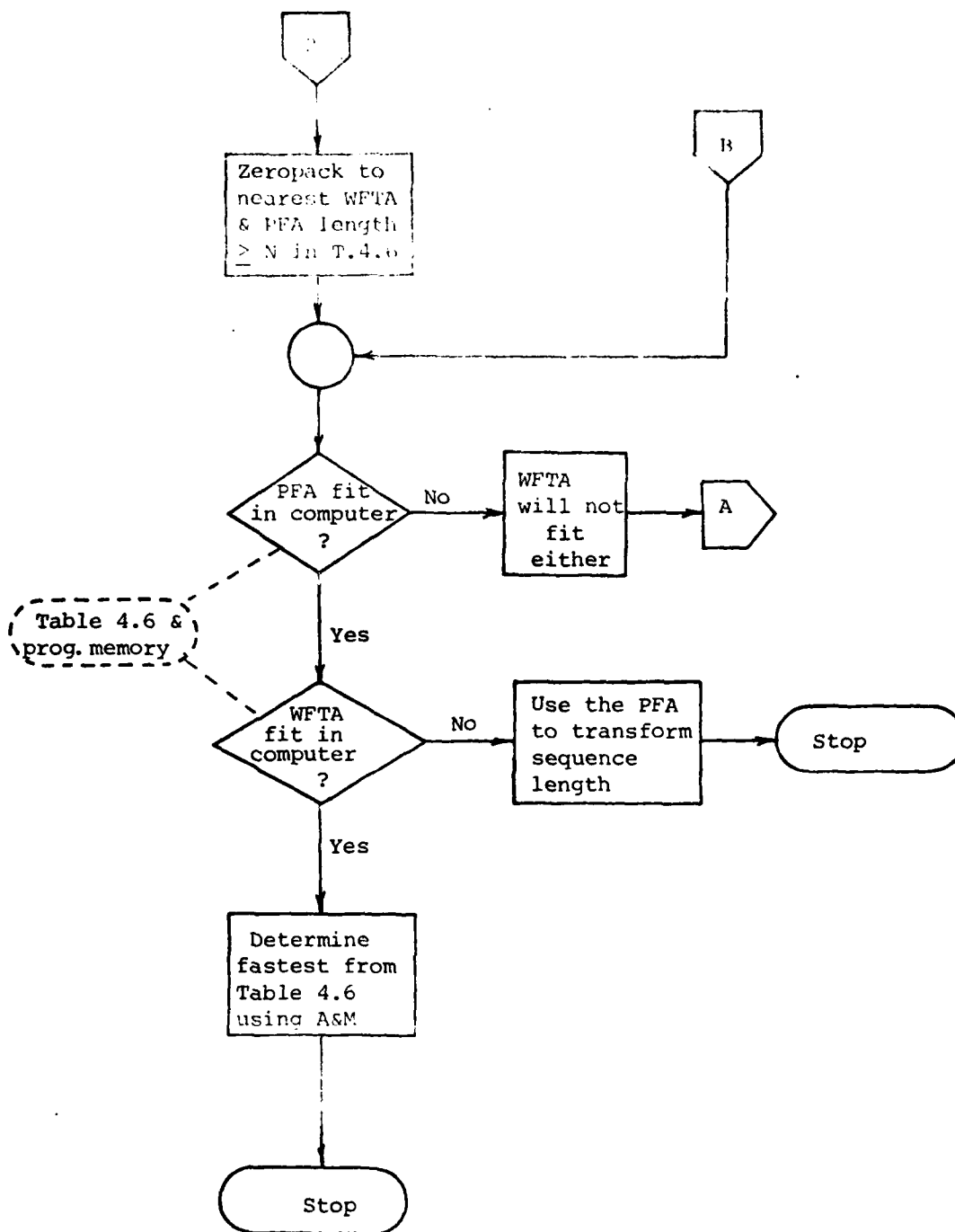


Figure 4.8b. Flowchart to Select Most Efficient Algorithm.

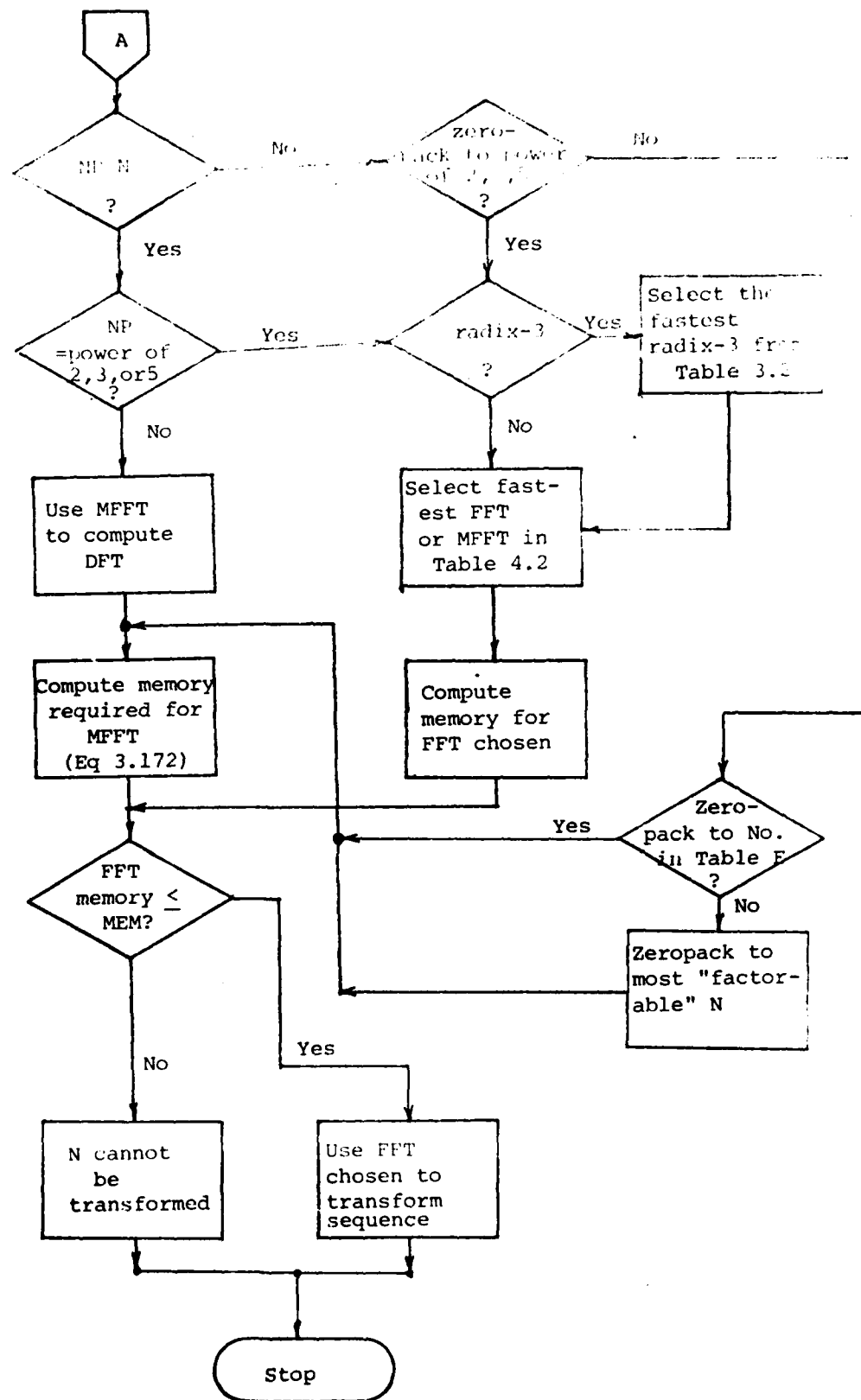


Figure 4.8c. Flowchart to Select Most Efficient Algorithm.

- (4) NP=N? No, continue
- (5) NP $\leq$ 5040? Yes, continue
- (6) Zeropack to nearest WFTA PFA length given in Table 4.6 which is NP=420.
- (7) PFA fit in computer? Yes, continue
- (8) WFTA fit in computer? Yes, continue
- (9) Determine fastest algorithm between WFTA and PFA from Table 4.6. For N=420,

	WFTA	PFA
Mult	1296	2528
Add	11352	10956

Using A=450 ns and M=1000 ns the predicted speeds are: WFTA = 6.4 milliseconds

PFA = 7.5 milliseconds

For this sequence N=420 and for the add and multiply speeds given the WFTA is the fastest algorithm. However, if this sequence were only being transformed once for a particular utilization and the WFTA could not be repeatedly used without initialization the WFTA counts must be taken from Table 3.11 where 4920 multiplications and 16200 additions are used to initialize the WFTA and perform the transform. Now the WFTA is predicted to use 56.5 milliseconds to transform N=420. When selecting between WFTA and PFA the particular utilization must be considered.

It should also be noted that the predicted times from Table 4.6 are based only on real operations which do not account for all of the execution time required as shown by

the timing tests. For the cases tested in Table 4.7 on the CDC Cyber 74 the real operations accounted for average 67% of the PFA, 65% of the WFTA, and 61% of the MFFT actual execution speed.

## V. Conclusions

This paper, for the first time, presented a capability to select the most efficient DFT based on real operations. These real operations were tabulated and plotted as a function of  $N$ . The algorithms studied and compared for real operations and memory include:

1. Radix-2 FFT from Rabiner and Gold.
2. Radix-3 FFT written by the author.
3. Radix-3 FFT in  $R(u)$  from Dubois and Venetsanopolous.
4. Radix-5 FFT written by the author.
5. Mixed radix FFT for factors of 2, 3, or 5 written by the author.
6. IMSL mixed radix FFT which can transform any sequence length  $N$ .
7. Singleton's mixed radix FFT which can transform any sequence length  $N$ .
8. Winograd Fourier transform algorithm (WFTA) written by McClellan and Nawab.
9. Prime Factor Algorithm (PFA) written by Burrus and Eschenbacher.

### 5.1 Results and Conclusions

The two radix-3 FFTs were compared for real operations and memory required to perform the DFT of  $N$  length sequences where  $N=3^m$ . Selection criteria were developed and tabulated based on machine speed. The new radix-3 FFT in the  $R(u)$

field uses less multiplications but more real additions than the conventional Radix-3 FFT. The more efficient of the two algorithms depends on the relative costs of multiplications and additions. The Radix-3 in  $R(u)$  is most efficient when multiplications are costly.

All of the fixed radix algorithms were compared to the Singleton mixed radix FFT for real operations and memory. The operations counts show that the most efficient algorithm depends on multiplication and addition speed of the computer. Data was tabulated for selecting the best algorithm based on this criteria. The FFT algorithm using the least memory can also be selected from Tables 4.2 and 4.3. The limited choice of sequence lengths possible with the fixed radix FFTs reduce their utility compared to Singleton's mixed radix FFT.

Three conventional mixed radix FFT algorithms were compared for efficiency, memory array, and flexibility. The author's mixed radix FFT was very efficient but required more memory array and was not as flexible since  $N$  was limited to factors of 2, 3, 4, and 5. It was shown that Singleton's mixed radix FFT was more efficient, flexible, and used less memory array than the IMSL mixed radix FFT and was chosen as the best conventional mixed radix FFT.

Singleton's mixed radix FFT (labeled MFFT) and the fixed radix FFTs were compared to the WFTA and PFA. The real operations and memory required was tabulated and plotted for all of the  $N$  length sequences permitted by WFTA and PFA.

This comparison showed that the WFTA and PFA required less real operations but that the FFTs requires less memory. The MFFT was much more flexible than WFTA or PFA since N can be any length sequence.

The WFTA and PFA were then more closely studied and the tradeoffs between the two were discussed. The PFA uses less additions but more multiplications for most N length sequences which means WFTA is more efficient when multiplications are "costly" relative to additions. The PFA uses less memory than the WFTA which makes PFA preferable when the machine is memory limited. Further criteria considered in selecting between these two algorithms are the (1) machine language and (2) the particular application of the algorithms. If the machine language permits "shifts" to be used for multiplication by  $1/2$  the PFA performance can be improved. (The percentage improvements have been tabulated for all permissible PFA sequence lengths). The second consideration affects the WFTA since any repeated use of WFTA for the same length N sequence does not require the algorithm to re-initialize the multiplier coefficients. Improvements in operating speeds of 40% over the initial WFTA were realized on the Cyber 74 for various sequence lengths.

An algorithm to select the most efficient DFT method from WFTA (Winograd), MFFT (Singleton), fixed radix FFTs, and PFA (Kolba and Parks) was presented. This selection is based on: minimizing real operations and minimizing memory size for the machine used. Minimizing real operations is

the best "first order" criteria (Singleton, 1969) and was verified by timing the transforms on the CDC Cyber 74. A summary of the above conclusions is presented in Table 5.1.

The PFA was chosen as the best DFT technique because it minimizes real operations well below the FFT levels, requires substantially less memory than WFTA, and is more flexible than the fixed radix FFTs. Of course, the "optimum" algorithm depends on the specific application and computer, but for general applications the PFA provides the best mix of minimizing real operations and memory.

## 5.2 Recommendations

The above conclusions related to an algorithm's efficiency were based on real operations and then verified by timing tests on the CDC Cyber 74. The Cyber 74 is a representative large main frame computer with very high speed additions and multiplications.

To further substantiate the conclusions of this paper it is recommended that similar timing tests be made on other computers (large and small) available at AFIT and the results compared to the predicted efficiencies based on real additions and multiplications. All of the data necessary to perform these tests is available in this paper.



TABLE 5.1  
COMPARISON OF DFT ALGORITHMS

	<u>Real Operations</u>	<u>Memory Array</u>	<u>Program Memory</u>	<u>Flexibility</u>	<u>Overall</u>
MFFT	Fair	Excellent	Fair	Excellent	Good
FFTS	Fair	Good	Excellent	Poor	Fair
WFTA	Excellent	Poor	Fair	Fair	Fair
PFA	Excellent	Good	Excellent	Fair	Excellent

Ratings: Excellent, Good, Fair, Poor

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## Appendix A. Radix-2 FFT Algorithm

This appendix presents an algorithm for computing the complex fast Fourier transform (FFT) defined by:

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) \exp(-j2\pi nk/N)$$

where  $k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$

and  $n=2^M$ ,  $M$  integer.

A FORTRAN subroutine is listed for computing the radix-2 FFT of a single-variate forward complex Fourier transform or calculates one variate of a multi-variate transform.

### Arguments.

$A$  = The complex array to be transformed which is dimensioned to length  $N$ .

$N$  = The integer sequence length to be transformed which must have length equal  $2^M$ .

$M$  = The integer power of 2.

Usage. For a single variate forward transform:

- (1) Specify the input complex sequence  $A$  along with parameters  $M$  and  $N$ .
- (2) Dimension complex array  $A$  to length  $N$ .
- (3) Call FFT2C ( $A, M, N$ ).
- (4)  $A$  contains the complex output vector  $X(k)$ .



## Appendix B. Radix-3 FFT Algorithm

This section presents an algorithm for computing the fast Fourier transform (FFT) based on a method called decimation-in-time described in Chapter III. This algorithm is an efficient method for computing the transformation:

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) \exp(-j2\pi nk/N), \quad k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, (N-1)$$

where  $X(k)$  and  $x(n)$  are complex valued. This algorithm requires that the sequence length be  $N=3^m$ ,  $m=0, 1, 2, \dots$ .

This appendix lists a FORTRAN subroutine for computing the radix-3 FFT. This subroutine computes the single-variate complex Fourier transform or calculates one variate of a multivariate transform.

### Arguments.

A = The real part of the array to be transformed which is dimensioned to length N.

B = The imaginary part of the array to be transformed which is dimensioned to length N.

M = The exponent of 3.

N = The length of the data sequence ( $N=3^M$ ).

IW = A work vector of length M.

WKS and WKC = Storage arrays of length N used for sine and cosine lookup tables.

Usage. For a single variate forward transform:

- (1) Specify the input sequences A and B along with the parameters M and N.
- (2) Dimension A,B,IW,WKS and WKC to the correct lengths.
- (3) Call FFT3TM (A,B,M,N,IW,WKC,WKS).
- (4) A and B are the output real and imaginary portion of the complex vector  $X(k)$ .





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600=      DO 30 I=1,NLOWEP
610=      DO 10 J=1,NHUPPER
620=      DO 10 K=1,NHUPPER
630=      DO 10 L=1,NHUPPER
640=      DO 10 M=1,NHUPPER
650=      DO 10 N=1,NHUPPER
660=      DO 10 O=1,NHUPPER
670=      DO 10 P=1,NHUPPER
680=      DO 10 Q=1,NHUPPER
690=      DO 10 R=1,NHUPPER
700=      DO 10 S=1,NHUPPER
710=      DO 10 T=1,NHUPPER
720=      DO 10 U=1,NHUPPER
730=      DO 10 V=1,NHUPPER
740=      DO 10 W=1,NHUPPER
750=      PRINT*, "HUPPER=" ,HUPPER
760=      U=HLOWEP
770=      DO 81 I=HUPPER,N
780=      MKC(I)=MKC(U)
790=      MKS(I)=-MKS(U)
800=      81  U=U-1
810=      XOUT2=SECOND(CP)-XIN2
820=      PRINT*, "LOOK UP COMP TIME=" ,XOUT2
830=      PRINT*, "TEST 10"
840=      XINI=SECOND(CP)
850=      *** SHUFFLE THE INPUT ARRAY USING PAGE 3 COUNTER
860=      AND THEN DIGIT REVERSE THE NOS: ***
870=      C
880=      DO 22 M=1,M
890=      22  IW(M)=3
900=      C
910=      COMPUTE BASE NOS. OF COUNTER
920=      MFAC=M
930=      NBASE(I)=1
940=      DO 21 J=2,M
950=      NBASE(J)=IW(MFAC)*NBASE(J-1)
960=      21  MFAC=MFAC-1
970=      C
980=      ZERO THE NCOUNT ARRAY
990=      DO 24 J=1,M
1000=      24  NCOUNT(J)=0
1010=      C
1020=      SET THE INDICES FOR A & B ARRAY
1030=      ICOUNT=1
1040=      23  PREV=1
1050=      I=M
1060=      DO 25 I=1,M
1070=      PREV=PREV+NCOUNT(I)*NBASE(I)
1080=      25  I=I-1
1090=      C
1100=      CK FOR SWAP
1110=      IF (PREV.LE.ICOUNT) GO TO 26
1120=      TA=A(PREV)
1130=      TB=B(PREV)
1140=      A(PREV)=A(ICOUNT)
1150=      B(PREV)=B(ICOUNT)
1160=      A(ICOUNT)=TA
1170=      B(ICOUNT)=TB
1180=      26  DO 27 I=1,M
1190=      NCOUNT(I)=NCOUNT(I)+1
1200=      IF (NCOUNT(I).LE.2) GO TO 28
1210=      NCOUNT(I)=0
1220=      27  CONTINUE
1230=      28  ICOUNT=ICOUNT+1

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1210=      IF (COUNT.GE.10) GO TO 123
1220=      GO TO 123
1230=      CONTINUE
1240=      XOUT1=SECOND*(P)-XINH
1250=      PRINT*,"SHUFFLE TIME="*,XOUT1
1260=
1270=      *** ARRAYS ARE NOW SHUFFLED. ***
1280=
1290=
1300=      *** COMPUTE THE TRANSFORM ***
1310=
1320=
1330=      COMPUTE BF CONSTANTS
1340=      CONST=.8660254037844
1350=
1360=      THIS LOOP COUNTS THE STAGE NO.  THE NO. OF STAGES =M
1370=
1380=      XINH=SECOND/(CP)
1390=      DO 30 L=1,M
1400=
1410=      THE INTEGER D IS THE DISTANCE BETWEEN BUTTERFLIES (BF)
1420=      WHICH HAVE THE SAME COMPLEX TWIDDLE FACTORS : (TF)
1430=
1440=      D=3**L
1450=
1460=      TYPES OF BF IN STAGE WHICH USE DIFFERENT TF:
1470=
1480=      LM1=L-1
1490=      TYPE=3**LM1
1500=
1510=      INITIALIZE THE TWIDDLE FACTORS:
1520=
1530=      TFA1=1.
1540=      TFB1=0.
1550=      TFA2=1.
1560=      TFB2=0.
1570=      TFA3=1.
1580=      TFB3=0.
1590=
1600=      COMPUTE DISTANCE BETWEEN BF ENDPOINTS FOR THIS STAGE:
1610=
1620=      P=TYPE
1630=      RX2=P*2
1640=      RX4=P*4
1650=
1660=
1670=      COMPUTE INDEX CONSTANTS FOR COS & SIN LOOKUP TABLES
1680=
1690=      K1=N/D
1700=      K2=2*K1
1710=      THIS LOOP INDEXES THE BF WITH SAME TFS, INDEXES THE TFS.
1720=
1730=      DO 40 J=1,TYPE
1740=      FIRST STAGE HAS NO TFS SO SKIP TF COMPUTATION
1750=      IF (L.EQ.1) GO TO 60
1760=      IF (J.EQ.1) GO TO 60

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1820=      A(I)=A(I)+B(I)
1830=      B(I)=B(I)+A(I)
1840=      A(I)=A(I)+B(I)
1850=      B(I)=B(I)+A(I)
1860=      A(I)=A(I)+B(I)
1870=      B(I)=B(I)+A(I)
1880=      A(I)=A(I)+B(I)
1890=      B(I)=B(I)+A(I)
1900=      A(I)=A(I)+B(I)
1910=      B(I)=B(I)+A(I)
1920=      A(I)=A(I)+B(I)
1930=      B(I)=B(I)+A(I)
1940=      IF L = 1, NO TFS ARE REQUIRED:
1950=      IF (L.EQ.1) GO TO 61
1960=      IF (J.EQ.1) GO TO 61
1970=      A2T=(A(I2)+TFA2)-(B(I2)+TFA2)
1980=      B2T=(A(I2)+TFA2)+(B(I2)+TFA2)
1990=      A3T=(A(I3)+TFA3)-(B(I3)+TFA3)
2000=      B3T=(A(I3)+TFA3)+(B(I3)+TFA3)
2010=      GO TO 62
2020= 61  A2T=A(I2)
2030=      B2T=B(I2)
2040=      A3T=A(I3)
2050=      B3T=B(I3)
2060=      C
2070=      COMPUTE THE BF:
2080=      C
2090= 62  A2A3=A2T+A3T
2100=      B2B3=B2T+B3T
2110=      A(I1)=A1T+A2A3
2120=      B(I1)=B1T+B2B3
2130=      PBM2=CONST*(A2T-A3T)
2140=      PBM2=CONST*(B3T-B2T)
2150=      PBM1=A1T-0.5*A2A3
2160=      PBM1=B1T-0.5*B2B3
2170=      A(I2)=PBM1-PBM2
2180=      B(I2)=PBM1+PBM2
2190=      A(I3)=PBM1+PBM2
2200=      B(I3)=PBM1-PBM2
2210= 61  CONTINUE
2220= 40  CONTINUE
2230= 30  CONTINUE
2240=      XOVER=SECOND(OP)-XINN
2250=      PRINT*,"BF TIME =", XOVER
2260=      C
2270=      *** END OF TRANSFORM COMPUTATION. ***
2280=      RETURN
2290=      C
2300=      END OF FFT3TM SUBROUTINE
2310=      C
2320=      .....
2330=      .....
2340=      END
2350=      C

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### Appendix C. Radix-3 FFT in R(u)

This appendix presents an algorithm for computing the radix-3 FFT based on a method which transforms the array from the complex domain (1,i) to the R(u) domain (1,u).

#### Arguments

A = Real portion of the complex data sequence to be transformed. It is dimensioned to length N.

B = Imaginary portion of the complex data sequence to be transformed. It is dimensioned to length N.

M = The exponent of 3.

N = The length of the data sequence ( $N=3^M$ ).

IW = Work vector dimensioned to length M.

WKC and WKS = Storate array dimensioned to length N and used for sine and cosine look up tables.

RTEST = Set equal to zero or one. If the data sequence is real, RTEST=1; if the data sequence is complex, RTEST=0.

Usage. This algorithm is an efficient method for computing the transformation:

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) \exp(-j2\pi nk/N) \quad k = 0, 1, \dots$$

where  $X(k)$  and  $x(n)$  are complex valued. This algorithm restricts N to equal  $3^M$  where  $M = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ .

For a single variate forward transform:

- (1) Specify the input sequences A and B along with parameters M, N, and RTEST.
- (2) Dimension A,B,WKC,WKS, and IW.
- (3) Call FFT3RU (A,B,M,N,IW,WKC,WKS,RTEST).
- (4) A and B are the output real and imaginary portion of the complex vector X(k).



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2400=  A(I)=B(I)+C(I)
2410=  B(I)=A(I)-C(I)
2420=  C(I)=B(I)-A(I)
2430=  A(I)=B(I)+C(I)
2440=  B(I)=A(I)-C(I)
2450=  C(I)=B(I)-A(I)
2460=  A(I)=B(I)+C(I)
2470=  B(I)=A(I)-C(I)
2480=  C(I)=B(I)-A(I)
2490=  A(I)=B(I)+C(I)
2500=  B(I)=A(I)-C(I)
2510=  C(I)=B(I)-A(I)
2520=  A(I)=B(I)+C(I)
2530=  B(I)=A(I)-C(I)
2540= 50  CONTINUE
2550= 40  CONTINUE
2560= 30  CONTINUE
2570=  XOVER=SECOND(CP)-XINN
2580=  PRINT*, "XOVER= ", XOVER
2590=
2600=  ***CONVERT BACK TO R+BJ NOTATION
2610=
2620=  XCONV=SECOND(CP)
2630=  DO 70 I=1,N
2640=  CC=R(I)
2650=  DD=B(I)
2660=  A(I)=CC-DD*0.5
2670=
2680=
2690=
2700=
2710=  ***
2720=  PRINT*, "NO. OF RS CONVERSIONS = ", COUNT
2730=  RETURN
2740=
2750=  END OF SUBROUTINE SETSO
2760=
2770=  .....
2780=  .....
2790=  END
2800= *EOF
2810= *EOF

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#### Appendix D. Radix-5 FFT Algorithm

This section presents an algorithm for computing the FFT based on decimation-in-time of the discrete Fourier transform defined by:

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) \exp(-j2\pi nk/N) \quad k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, N-1$$

where  $X(k)$  and  $x(n)$  are complex valued. This algorithm restricts the length of the sequence to be  $N=5^m$  where  $m$  is an integer.

In this appendix a FORTRAN subroutine FFT5TF is listed for computing the radix-5 FFT. This subroutine computes the single-variate complex Fourier transform or performs the calculation for one variate of a multivariate transform.

##### Arguments

A = Real portion of the complex data sequence to be transformed. It is dimensioned to length N.

B = Imaginary portion of the complex data sequence. It is dimensioned to length N.

M = Exponent of 5, where  $N=5^M$ .

N = Length of the data sequence ( $N=5^M$ ).

IW = Work vector of length M.

WKC and WKS = Storage arrays dimensioned to length N and used for sine and cosine look up tables.

Usage. For a single variate forward transform:

- (1) Specify the input sequences A and B along with the parameters M and N.
- (2) Dimension A,B,IW,WKS and WKC to correct lengths.
- (3) A and B are the output real and imaginary portion of the complex vector  $X(k)$ .



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1400=0      PRINT '... END OF LOOP TIME = ', TIME
1500=0
1600=0      STOP
1700=0
1800=0      PRINT '... END OF LOOP TIME = ', TIME
1900=0
2000=0
2100=0      PRINT '... END OF LOOP TIME = ', TIME
2200=0
2300=0      PRINT '... END OF LOOP TIME = ', TIME
2400=0
2500=0
2600=0      PRINT '... END OF LOOP TIME = ', TIME
2700=0
2800=0
2900=0
3000=0
3100=0      *** SHUFFLE THE INPUT ARRAY USING RANGL'S COUNTER
3200=0      AND THEN INIT REVERSE THE A & B : ***
3300=0
3400=0      DO 22 M1=1,M
3500=0      22  IW(M1)=5
3600=0      COMPUTE BASE NOS. OF COUNTER
3700=0      MFAC=M
3800=0      NBASE(1)=1
3900=0      DO 21 J=2,M
4000=0      NBASE(J)=IW(MFAC)*NBASE(J-1)
4100=0      21  MFAC=MFAC-1
4200=0      ZERO TH ENCOUNT(J) ARRAY
4300=0      DO 24 J=1,M
4400=0      24  NCOUNT(J)=0
4500=0      SET THE INDICES FOR A & B ARRAY
4600=0      ICOUNT=1
4700=0      23  NREV=1
4800=0      K=M
4900=0      DO 25 I=1,M
5000=0      NREV=NREV+NCOUNT(K)*NBASE(K)
5100=0      25  K=K-1
5200=0      OK FOR SWAP
5300=0      IF (NREV.LE.ICOUNT) GO TO 26
5400=0      TE=NCOUNT(K)
5500=0      NCOUNT(K)=ICOUNT
5600=0      ICOUNT=TE
5700=0      A(I)=B(I)
5800=0      B(I)=NCOUNT
5900=0      26  DO 27 I=1,M
6000=0      NCOUNT(I)=NCOUNT(I)+1
6100=0      IF (NCOUNT(I).LE.4) GO TO 28
6200=0      NCOUNT(I)=0
6300=0      27  CONTINUE
6400=0      27  ICC=ICC+1
6500=0      IF (ICC.GE.M) GO TO 29
6600=0      GO TO 23
6700=0      29  CONTINUE
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1110=0
1120=0
1130=0
1140=0
1150=0
1160=0
1170=0
1180=0
1190=0
1200=0      *** ARRAYS ARE NOW SHUFFLED.***

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1830=C
1840=      13 50 I1=J1+D
1850=      13=I1+D
1860=      13=D
1870=
1880=
1890=      I4=I3+R
1900=      I5=I4+R
1910=C
1920=C
1930=C
1940=C
1950=C
1960=C
1970=C
1980=C
1990=      A1T=A(I1)
2000=      B1T=B(I1)
2010=C
2020=      IF L = 1, NO TFS ARE REQUIRED:
2030=      IF (L.EQ.1) GO TO 61
2040=      IF (J.EQ.1) GO TO 61
2050=      A2T=(A(I2)+TFA2)-(B(I2)+TFB2)
2060=      B2T=(A(I2)+TFA2)+(B(I2)+TFB2)
2070=      A3T=(A(I3)+TFA3)-(B(I3)+TFB3)
2080=      B3T=(A(I3)+TFA3)+(B(I3)+TFB3)
2090=      A4T=(A(I4)+TFA4)-(B(I4)+TFB4)
2100=      B4T=(A(I4)+TFA4)+(B(I4)+TFB4)
2110=      A5T=(A(I5)+TFA5)-(B(I5)+TFB5)
2120=      B5T=(A(I5)+TFA5)+(B(I5)+TFB5)
2130=      GO TO 61
2140= 61
2150=      A2T=A(I2)
2160=
2170=
2180=
2190=      A5T=A(I5)
2200=      B5T=B(I5)
2210=C
2220=C
2230=C
2240=      62
2250=      62
2260=      62
2270=      62
2280=      62
2290=      62
2300=      62

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2470= 2470=0
2480= 2480=0
2490= 2490=0
2500= CB3B4=00
2510= 2510=0
2520= 2520=0
2530= 2530=0
2540= 2540=0
2550= 2550=0
2560= 2560=0
2570= 2570=0
2580= 2580=0
2590= 2590=0
2600= 2600=0
2610= 2610=0
2620= 2620=0
2630= 2630=0
2640= 2640=0
2650= 2650=0
2660= 50 CONTINUE
2670= 40 CONTINUE
2680= 30 CONTINUE

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2740=0
2750=0 END OF FFT5TF SUBROUTINE
2760=0
2770=0
2780=0
2790=0
2800=0
2810=0
2820=0
2830=0
2840=0
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2940=0
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2960=0
2970=0
2980=0
2990=0

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### Radix-5 FFT Theory

This section presents the theory of the radix-5 FFT starting with the DFT definition and then decomposing the DFT equation using the decimation-in-time algorithm (Cooley and Tukey, 1965). This development closely parallels the radix-3 development presented earlier and consequently the radix-5 theory will be brief.

The DFT  $X(k)$  is computed by separating the discrete time sequence  $X(n)$  into five  $N/5$  point sequences ( $n$  must be of length  $5^m$ ,  $m = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ ).  $X(k)$  is given by the DFT expression:

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) W_N^{nk} \quad \text{where } k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1 \quad (D.1)$$

and  $W_N = \exp(-j2\pi/N)$

Breaking  $X(n)$  into five  $N/5$  point sequences yields  $X(5r)$ ,  $X(5r+1)$ ,  $X(5r+2)$ ,  $X(5r+3)$ , and  $X(5r+4)$ . Using these sequences and Eq (D.1) gives:

$$X(k) = \sum_{r=0}^{N/5-1} x(5r) W_N^{5rk} + \sum_{r=0}^{N/5-1} x(5r+1) W_N^{(5r+1)k} + \sum_{r=0}^{N/5-1} x(5r+2) W_N^{(5r+2)k} + \sum_{r=0}^{N/5-1} x(5r+3) W_N^{(5r+3)k} + \sum_{r=0}^{N/5-1} x(5r+4) W_N^{(5r+4)k} \quad (D.2)$$

By regrouping exponents and making the substitution of:

$$W_N^{5r} = W_{N/5}^r \quad (D.3)$$

then Eq (D.2) can be written in final form as:

$$\begin{aligned}
X(k) = & \sum_{r=0}^{N/5-1} x(5r) W_{N/5}^{rk} + W_N^k \sum_{r=0}^{N/5-1} x(5r+1) W_{N/5}^{rk} \\
& + W_N^{2k} \sum_{r=0}^{N/5-1} x(5r+2) W_{N/5}^{rk} + W_N^{3k} \sum_{r=0}^{N/5-1} x(5r+3) W_{N/5}^{rk} \\
& + W_N^{4k} \sum_{r=0}^{N/5-1} x(5r+4) W_{N/5}^{rk}
\end{aligned} \quad (D.4)$$

Each of the  $N/5$  point DFTs in Eq (D.4) represents an  $N/5$  length sequence and the  $W_N$  terms in front of the summations are the butterfly multipliers.

Eq (D.4) can be rewritten to reflect the  $N/5$  point DFTs as:

$$X(k) = A(m) + W_N^k B(m) + W_N^{2k} C(m) + W_N^{3k} D(m) + W_N^{4k} E(m) \quad (D.5)$$

For  $N=5^2=25$  the Eq (D.5) representation is shown in Figure D.1 and uses a less cumbersome FFT notation (Rabiner and Gold, 1975).  $X(k)$  is obtained by evaluating Eq (D.5) as:

$$\begin{aligned}
X(0) &= A(0) + B(0) + C(0) + D(0) + E(0) \\
X(1) &= A(1) + W_{25}^1 B(1) + W_{25}^2 C(1) + W_{25}^3 D(1) + W_{25}^4 E(1) \\
X(2) &= A(2) + W_{25}^2 B(2) + W_{25}^4 C(2) + W_{25}^6 D(2) + W_{25}^8 E(2) \\
&\vdots \\
X(6) &= A(0) + W_{25}^6 B(0) + W_{25}^{12} C(0) + W_{25}^{18} D(0) + W_{25}^{24} E(0)
\end{aligned}$$

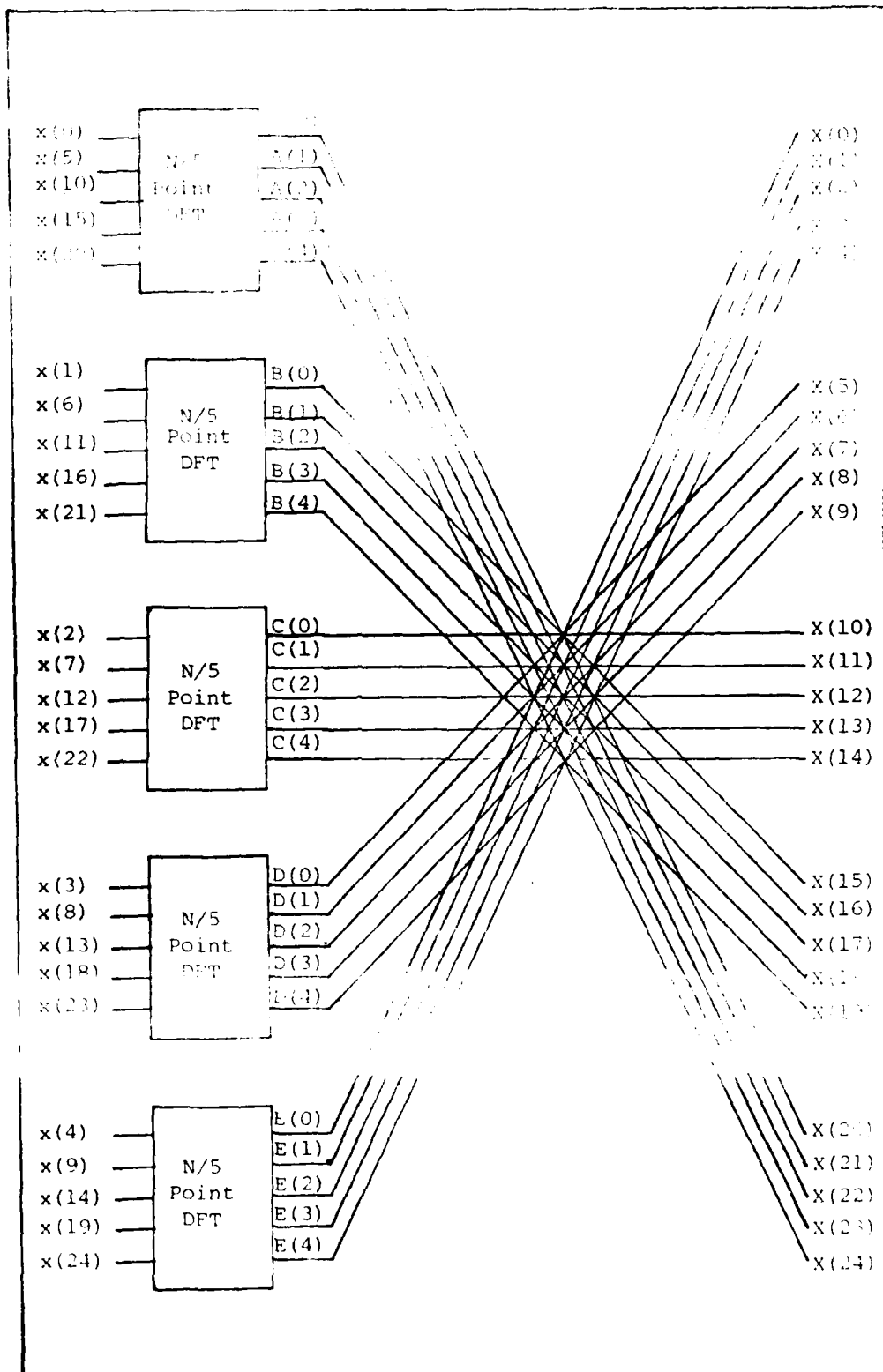


Figure D.1. First Stage Decimation for  $N=25$ .

$$X(1) = A(1) + W_{25}^7 B(1) + W_{25}^{14} C(1) + W_{25}^{21} D(1) + W_{25}^{28} E(1)$$

$$X(23) = A(3) + W_{25}^{20} B(3) + W_{25}^{40} C(3) + W_{25}^{60} D(3) + W_{25}^{80} E(3)$$

$$X(24) = A(4) + W_{25}^{24} B(4) + W_{25}^{48} C(4) + W_{25}^{72} D(4) + W_{25}^{96} E(4)$$

The above expressions explicitly describe the first stage decimation for  $N=25$ . The next step is to evaluate  $A(m) - E(m)$ , which are also 5-point DFTs. The 5-point DFT for  $A(m)$  can be evaluated as:

$$A(m) = \sum_{r=0}^{N/5-1} x(r) W_{N/5}^{rm} \quad (D.6)$$

which results in five  $N/25$  length sequences:

$$\begin{aligned} A(m) = & \sum_{i=0}^{N/25-1} a(5i) W_{N/25}^{5im} + W_{N/5}^m \sum_{i=0}^{N/25-1} a(5i+1) W_{N/25}^{5im} \\ & + W_{N/5}^{2m} \sum_{i=0}^{N/25-1} a(5i+2) W_{N/25}^{5im} + W_{N/5}^{3m} \sum_{i=0}^{N/25-1} a(5i+3) W_{N/25}^{5im} \\ & + W_{N/5}^{4m} \sum_{i=0}^{N/25-1} a(5i+4) W_{N/25}^{5im} \\ & m = 0, 1, \dots, 4 \end{aligned} \quad (D.7)$$

It can be seen from Figure D.1 that  $a(5i) = x(0)$ ,  $a(5i+1) = x(5)$ ,  $a(5i+2) = x(10)$ ,  $a(5i+3) = x(15)$ , and  $a(5i+4) = x(20)$  for the 5-point DFT of  $A(m)$ . The final expression for the  $A(m)$  5-point DFT is given from Eq (D.7) where  $N=25$ :

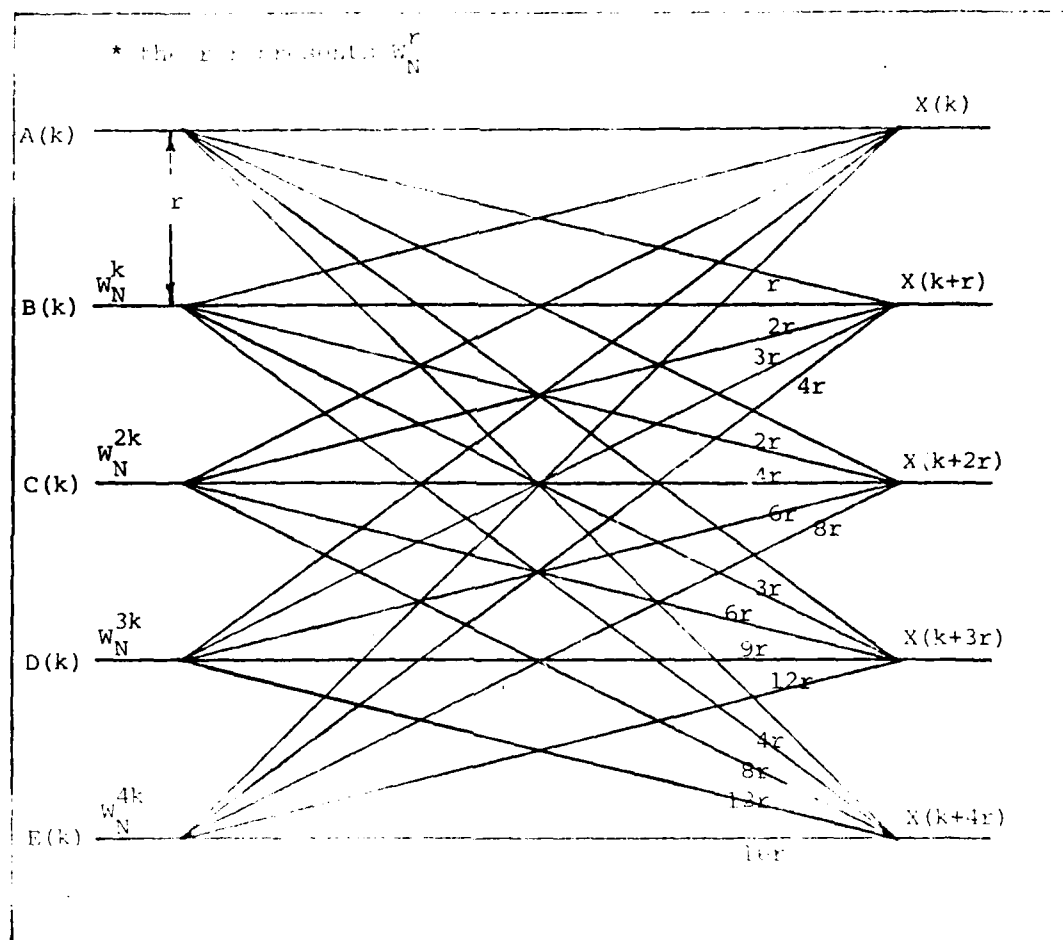


Figure D.2. Basic Radix-5 Butterfly Using Twiddle Factors.

$$A(0) = a(0) + W_5^0 a(1) + W_5^0 a(2) + W_5^0 a(3) + W_5^0 a(4) \quad (D.8)$$

$$A(1) = a(0) + W_5^1 a(1) + W_5^2 a(2) + W_5^3 a(3) + W_5^4 a(4) \quad (D.9)$$

$$A(2) = a(0) + W_5^2 a(1) + W_5^4 a(2) + W_5^6 a(3) + W_5^8 a(4) \quad (D.10)$$

$$A(3) = a(0) + W_5^3 a(1) + W_5^6 a(2) + W_5^9 a(3) + W_5^{12} a(4) \quad (D.11)$$

$$A(4) = a(0) + W_5^4 a(1) + W_5^8 a(2) + W_5^{12} a(3) + W_5^{16} a(4) \quad (D.12)$$

From Eqs (D.8) - (D.12) the basic butterfly multipliers are derived to be:

$$X(k) = A(k) + W_N^k B(k) + W_N^{2k} C(k) + W_N^{3k} D(k) + W_N^{4k} E(k) \quad (D.13)$$

$$X(k+r) = A(k) + W_N^{k+r} B(k) + W_N^{2k+2r} C(k) + W_N^{3k+3r} D(k) + W_N^{4k+4r} E(k) \quad (D.14)$$

$$X(k+2r) = A(k) + W_N^{k+2r} B(k) + W_N^{2k+4r} C(k) + W_N^{3k+6r} D(k) + W_N^{4k+8r} E(k) \quad (D.15)$$

$$X(k+3r) = A(k) + W_N^{k+3r} B(k) + W_N^{2k+6r} C(k) + W_N^{3k+9r} D(k) + W_N^{4k+12r} E(k) \quad (D.16)$$

$$X(k+4r) = A(k) + W_N^{k+4r} B(k) + W_N^{2k+8r} C(k) + W_N^{3k+12r} D(k) + W_N^{4k+16r} E(k) \quad (D.17)$$



The Eqs (D.13) - (D.17) are shown in the twiddle factor butterfly of Figure D.2 where "r" is the distance between the butterfly and points. Since  $N=5r$  the butterfly multipliers reduce to constant complex multipliers of:

$$W_N^r = W_N^{6r} = W_N^{16r} = \cos(2\pi/5) - j \sin(2\pi/5)$$

$$W_N^{2r} = W_N^{12r} = \cos(4\pi/5) - j \sin(4\pi/5)$$

$$W_N^{3r} = (W_N^{2r})^* = W_N^{8r} = \cos(4\pi/5) + j \sin(4\pi/5)$$

$$W_N^{4r} = (W_N^r)^* = W_N^{9r} = \cos(2\pi/5) + j \sin(2\pi/5)$$

These constant butterfly multipliers are computed once during the FFT computation and used in every radix-5 butterfly.

## Appendix E. Mixed Radix FFT Algorithm

This section presents an algorithm for computing the FFT based on the discrete Fourier transform:

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) \exp(-j2\pi nk/N)$$

The algorithm described here can accept an N length sequence which is factorable by 2, 3, 4, or 5. To aid in selecting an appropriate length sequence for this algorithm a list of numbers less than 50,000 containing no prime factors larger than five is listed in Table E.

### Arguments

A = The real portion of the complex data sequence to be transformed. It is dimensioned to length N.

B = Imaginary portion of the complex data sequence to be transformed. It is dimensioned to length N.

M = Number of factors of N.

WKC and WKS = Storage arrays dimensioned to length N and used for sine and cosine look up tables.

N = Length of the sequence to be transformed. N must be an integer power of 2, 3, 4, 5, or a combination thereof.

AT and BT = Arrays used in the subroutine for temporary storage of A and B during the data reordering (digit reversal).

NFAC = Contains all the factors of N. NFAC is computed by the user and passed to the subroutine in the argument list. Dimensioned to length M.

IWK = Contains the powers of 2, 3, 4, and 5 and is dimensioned to length 4.

IWK(1) = powers of 5  
IWK(2) = powers of 4  
IWK(3) = powers of 3  
IWK(4) = powers of 2 (must be 0 or 1)

Usage. The subroutine listed permits a maximum of 11 factors which is adequate for any N less than  $2^{16}$  with the factoring used by this subroutine.

- (1) Dimension arrays A,B,AT,BT,WKC, and WKS to length N and array NFAC to length M.
- (2) Factor N and store them in array NFAC. Array NFAC must contain the factors of N starting with the highest prime factor, 5, and continuing to the lowest, 2.

E.G. N=480  
NFAC(1) = 5, NFAC(2) = 4, NFAC(3) = 4  
NFAC(4) = 3, NFAC(5) = 2.

- (3) Specify the integer powers of 2, 3, 4, and 5 in the array IWK.

E.G. N=480  
IWK(1) = 1, IWK(2) = 2, IWK(3) = 1, IWK(4) = 1

In general,

$$N = 2^m 3^n 4^p 5^q \text{ and}$$

$$IWK(1) = q, IWK(2) = p, IWK(3) = n, IWK(4) = m.$$

- (4) Specify values for A the real part of data sequence and B the imaginary part of the data sequence.
- (5) Call FFTMR(A,B,M,N,WKC,WKS,AT,BE,NFAC,IWK).
- (6) A and B contain the real and imaginary part of the transform X(b).

To aid the designer in selecting an appropriate length  $N$  for a given  $\epsilon$ , Table E.1 provides possible choices for  $N$  less than 50000 which have integer powers of 2, 3, 4, or 5 or combinations thereof.

TABLE II.

NUMBERS WHICH ARE NOT LESS THAN 5

1	2	3	4	5
1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35
36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45
46	47	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55
56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65
66	67	68	69	70
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841	842	843	844	845
846	847	848	849	850
851	852	853	854	855
856	857	858	859	860
861	862	863	864	865
866	867	868	869	870
871	872	873	874	875
876	877	878	879	880
881	882	883	884	885
886	887	888	889	890
891	892	893	894	895
896	897	898	899	900
901	902	903	904	905
906	907	908	909	910
911	912	913	914	915
916	917	918	919	920
921	922	923	924	925
926	927	928	929	930
931	932	933	934	935
936	937	938	939	940
941	942	943	944	945
946	947	948	949	950
951	952	953	954	955
956	957	958	959	960
961	962	963	964	965
966	967	968	969	970
971	972	973	974	975
976	977	978	979	980
981	982	983	984	985
986	987	988	989	990
991	992	993	994	995
996	997	998	999	1000



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710=0      CONTINUE
720=0
730=0
740=0      SHUFFLE THE INPUT ARRAY TO REVERSE DIGIT ORDER
750=0
760=      SHIN=SECONDND(CP)
770=      DO 135 I=1,M
780=      AT(I)=A(I)
790= 135   BT(I)=B(I)
800=0      COMPUTE THE BASE NUMBERS OF THE COUNTER
810=0
820=      MFAC=M
830=      NBASE(I)=1
840=      DO 100 J=2,M
850=      NBASE(J)=MFAC*(MFAC+NBASE(J-1))
860= 100   MFAC=MFAC+1
870=0
880=0      COMPUTE THE COUNTER LIMITS OF EACH DIGIT
890=0
900=      DO 110 J=1,M
910= 110   MDIGIT(J)=MFAC*(J-1)
920=0
930=0      ZERO THE ACCUMULATOR ARRAY
940=0
950=0
960=0
970=0
980=0
990=0
1000=0
1010=0
1020=0
1030= 115  NPREV=1
1040=      K=0
1050=      DO 120 I=1,M
1060=      NPREV=NPREV+MDIGIT(I)+NBASE(I)
1070= 130   K=K+1
1080=0
1090=0      CHECK IF SHUFFLE IS NECESSARY ON THIS PAIR
1100=0

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1240=
1250=150  *DOO TIME
1260=  *DOO TIME
1270=  *DOO TIME
1280=
1290=888  PRINT* 'MBA.C.M. = MENSEC'
1300=0
1310=0  ARRAY HAS BEEN SHUFFLED
1320=0
1330=0
1340=0  COMPUTE THE TRANSFORM
1350=0
1360=0  ARE THERE POWERS OF 5?
1370=  PRINT* 'IMK(1) = ' *IMK(1)
1380=  FFTIN=SECOND(CP)
1390=  IF IMK(1).LE.0 GO TO 200
1400=0  DEFINE FF CONSTANTS
1410=  COS2=.2090129949749
1420=  SIN2=.9510565162853
1430=  COS4=-.2090129949749
1440=  SIN4=.9577858282823
1450=  LM1=IMK(1)-1
1460=  IM1=IMK(1)
1470=  DO 170 L5=1,IM1
1480=0

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# RADIX 5 SECTION

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1540=  R=0.5
1550=  TYPE=R
1560=0
1570=0  INITIALIZE TWIDDLE FACTOR ARRAY
1580=  YF0=1.
1590=  YF00=1.
1600=  YF000=1.
1610=  YF0000=1.
1620=  YF00000=1.
1630=  YF000000=0.
1640=  YF0000000=0.
1650=  YF00000000=0.

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1810= 1810=0
1820= 1820=0
1830= 1830=0
1840= 1840=0
1850= 1850=0
1860= 1860=0
1870= 1870=0
1880= 1880=0
1890= 1890=0
1900= 60 CONTINUE
1910=0
1920=0 THIS LOOP PERFORMS THE 5-PT DFT. THE LOOP IS INCREMENTED BY
1930=0 DISTANCE D WHICH SELECTS THE NEXT BF WITH THE SAME TFC
1940=0 DO 190 I1=J.N.D
1950=0 I2=I1+P
1960=0 I3=I2+P
1970=0 I4=I3+P
1980=0 I5=I4+P
1990=0
2000=0 TWIDDLE THE BF INPUTS AND STORE RESULTS IN TEMP LOCATION
2010=0
2020=0 A1T=A(I1)
2030=0 A1T=A(I1)
2040=0
2050=0
2060=0
2070=0
2080=0 B2T=A(I2)*TFR2 + B(I2)*TFR2
2090=0 B3T=A(I3)*TFR3 + B(I3)*TFR3
2100=0 B3T=A(I3)*TFR3 + B(I3)*TFR3
2110=0 B4T=A(I4)*TFR4 + B(I4)*TFR4
2120=0 B4T=A(I4)*TFR4 + B(I4)*TFR4
2130=0 B5T=A(I5)*TFR5 + B(I5)*TFR5
2140=0 B5T=A(I5)*TFR5 + B(I5)*TFR5
2150=0 GO TO 62
2160= 61 B2T=A(I2)
2170=0 B2T=B(I2)
2180=0 B3T=A(I3)
2190=0 B3T=B(I3)
2200=0 B4T=A(I4)

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2370=
2380=
2390=
2400=
2410=
2420=
2430=
2440=
2450=
2460=
2470=
2480=
2490=
2500=
2510=
2520=
2530=
2540=
2550=
2560=
2570=
2580=

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$C4A2A5 = C014 \cdot A2PA5$   
 $C2A3A4 = C012 \cdot A3PA4$   
 $C4B2B5 = SIN4 \cdot B2MB5$   
 $C2B3B4 = SIN2 \cdot B3MB4$   
 $C4B3B4 = C014 \cdot B3PB4$   
 $C2B2B5 = C012 \cdot B2PB5$   
 $S4A4A3 = SIN4 \cdot A4MA3$   
 $S2A5A2 = SIN2 \cdot A5MA2$   
 $C4B2B5 = C014 \cdot B2PB5$   
 $C2B3B4 = C012 \cdot B3PB4$   
 $C4A5A2 = SIN4 \cdot A5MA2$   
 $C2A4A3 = SIN2 \cdot A4MA3$   
 $CA25 = A1T + C4A3A4 + C2A3A5$   
 $CA34 = A1T + C4A5A5 + C2A3A4$   
 $CB25 = C4B3B4 + C2B3B5$   
 $CB34 = C4B2B5 - C2B3B4$   
 $CB25 = B1T + C4T1B4 + C2B3B5$   
 $CB34 = B1T + C4B2B5 + C2B3B4$   
 $CB25 = C4A4A3 + C2A3A5$   
 $CB34 = C4A5A2 + C2A3A4$

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2640=
2650=
2660=
2670=
2680=
2690=
2700=
2710=
2720=
2730=
2740=
2750=
2760=

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$B111 = A1T + B1A3A4 + B2B3B5$   
 $B112 = A1A5A5 + B1B3B5$   
 $B113 = A1A3A4 + B1B3A4$   
 $B114 = A1B3A4 - B1B3A4$   
 $B115 = A1B3B5 - B1B3B5$   
2690= 100 CONTINUE  
2700= 100 CONTINUE  
2710= 170 CONTINUE  
2720=0  
2730=0  
2740= 200 PRINT♦♦ 'IMK(2)' = 'IMK(2)'  
2750=0 ARE THERE ANY POWERS OF 4?  
2760= IF (IMK(2) .LE. 0) GO TO 300

END RADIX 5  
RADIX 4 SECTION

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2960=C      COMPUTE THE INDEX CONSTANTS
2970=      K1=SAME
2980=      K2=2*K1
2990=      K3=3*K1
3000=      DO 280 J=1,TYPE
3010=      IF (IMK(1).NE.0) GO TO 210
3020=      IF (L4.E0.1) GO TO 211
3030= 210   IF (J.E0.1) GO TO 211
3040=      JM1=J-1
3050=      TPA2=MKC(JM1*K1+1)
3060=      TFB2=-MKC(JM1*K1+1)
3070=      TPA3=MKC(JM1*K2+1)
3080=      TFB3=-MKC(JM1*K2+1)
3090=      TPA4=MKC(JM1*K3+1)
3100=      TFB4=-MKC(JM1*K3+1)
3110= 211   CONTINUE
3120=C
3130=C      THIS LOOP PERFORMS THE 4 PT DFT
3140=      DO 330 I1=J,N,D
3150=      IF (I1.E0.1)

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3200=C
3210=      IF (IMK(1).NE.0) GO TO 212
3220=      IF (L4.E0.1) GO TO 213
3230= 213   IF (J.E0.1) GO TO 215
3240=      A2T=A(I2)+TPA2+B(I2)+TFB2
3250=      B2T=A(I2)+TFB2+B(I2)+TPA2
3260=      A1T=A(I1)+TPA1+B(I1)+TFB1
3270=      B1T=A(I1)+TFB1+B(I1)+TPA1
3280=      A4T=A(I4)+TPA4+B(I4)+TFB4
3290=      B4T=A(I4)+TFB4+B(I4)+TPA4
3300=      GO TO 217
3310= 215   A2T=A(I2)
3320=      B2T=B(I2)

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END RADIX 4  
RADIX 3 SECTION

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3600=C
3610=C
3620= 300
3630=C
3640=C
3650=C
3660=C
3670=C
3680=C
3690=C
3700=C
3710=C
3720=C

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3730=      TFA=1.
3740=      TFA=1.
3750=      T1=TIME
3760=      T2=0.1
3770=      WD 3000 T1+T2
3780=      IF (TIME-T1).GT.0.001 GO TO 3790
3790=      T1=TIME
3800=      IF (T2-T1).GT.0.001 GO TO 3810
3810=      IF (T2-T1).GT.0.001 GO TO 3820
3820=      IF (T2-T1).GT.0.001 GO TO 3830
3830=      IF (T2-T1).GT.0.001 GO TO 3840
3840=      IF (T2-T1).GT.0.001 GO TO 3850
3850=      IF (T2-T1).GT.0.001 GO TO 3860
3860=      IF (T2-T1).GT.0.001 GO TO 3870
3870=      J=J-1
3880=      TFA2=MKC (J*1+1)

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4030= 315 A2T=A(I2)
4040= B2T=B(I2)
4050= A3T=A(I3)
4060= B3T=B(I3)
4070= 315 A2T=A(I2)
4080= B2T=B(I2)
4090= A3T=A(I3)
4100= B3T=B(I3)
4110= 317 A2A3=A2T+A3T
4120= B2B3=B2T+B3T
4130= A(I1)=A1T+A2A3
4140= B(I1)=B1T+B2B3
4150= PAM2=CONST*(B3T-B2T)
4160= PBW2=CONST*(A2T-A3T)
4170= PAM1=A1T-0.5*A2A3
4180= PBW1=B1T-0.5*B2B3
4190= A(I2)=PAM1-PAM2
4200= B(I2)=PBW1-PBW2
4210= A(I3)=PAM1+PAM2
4220= B(I3)=PBW1+PBW2
4230= 390 CONTINUE
4240= 380 CONTINUE
4250= 370 CONTINUE
4260= PRINT*,"RADIX 3 DONE"
4270=C
4280=C
4290=C
4300=400 PRINT*,"TIME FOR RADIX 3 DONE"
4310= IF (ID=1) GOTO 4320
4320= D=N
4330= SAME=1
4340= P=D/2
4350= TYPE=P
4360= TFA1=1.
4370= TFB1=0.
4380= TFA2=1.
4390= TFB2=0.
4400= K1=SAME
4410= DO 430 J=1,TYPE
4420= IF (J.EQ.1) GO TO 441
4430= JM1=J-1
4440= TFA2=MKC(JM1*K1+1)

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END RADIX 3  
RADIX 3 SECTION

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4450=      TFB2=-WZC(JM1*K1+1)
4460= 411  I1=J
4470=      I2=I1+P
4480=      A1T=A(I1)
4490=      B1T=B(I1)
4500=      IF(J.LE.1) GO TO 415
4510=      A2T=A(I2)*TFA2-B(I2)*TFB2
4520=      B2T=A(I2)*TFB2+B(I2)*TFA2
4530=      GO TO 417
4540= 415  A2T=A(I2)
4550=      B2T=B(I2)
4560= 417  A(I1)=A1T+A2T
4570=      B(I1)=B1T+B2T
4580=      A(I2)=A1T-A2T
4590=      B(I2)=B1T-B2T
4600= 480  CONTINUE
4610=      PRINT*,"RADIX 2 DONE"
4620=C      END RADIX 2
4630=      FFTOUT=SECOND(CP)-FFTIN
4640=      PRINT*,"TIME TO PERFORM FFT=",FFTOUT
4650=C
4660=C      END OF FFTMP SUBROUTINE
4670= 500  RETURN
4680=      END
4690=♦EDP
4700=♦EDF

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# Real Operations Count for FFTMR

The operations count for the factorization used in this algorithm is a function of (1) the number of butterflies, (2) the number of complex twiddle factors, and (3) the number of times the cosine and sine difference equations must be computed. The number of butterflies in a mixed radix algorithm has been shown to be (Singleton, 1969):

$$\sum_{i=1}^m (N/p_i) \quad (E.1)$$

and the number of complex twiddle factors is:

$$\sum_{i=1}^m (N(p_i-1)/p_i) - (N-1) \quad (E.2)$$

where  $N=p_1 p_2 \dots p_m$ . The radices in this algorithm are restricted to:

$$N = 2^r 3^s 4^t 5^u \quad (E.3)$$

Given the factorization in Eq (E.3) the radix-2 section

(where  $p=2$ ) has

$$\sum_{i=1}^r (N/p_i) = \sum_{i=1}^r (N/2) = rN/2 \quad (E.4)$$

butterflies which require four real additions each. The number of complex twiddle factors for the radix-2 is given as:

$$\sum_{i=1}^r (N(p_i-1)/p_i) = \sum_{i=1}^r (N/2) = rN/2 \quad (E.5)$$

which requires four real multiplications and two real additions each. Notice that the  $N-1$  term has not been

subtracted as in Eq (E.2). The  $N-1$  term will be subtracted after the total operations count has been derived for 3, 4, and 5 factors and combined with factors of 2. Using Eqs (E.4) - (E.5) and the number of additions and multiplications required for each provides the operations count for the radix-2 section as:

$$\text{real mult} = 4(rN/2) = 2rN \quad (\text{E.6})$$

$$\text{real adds} = 4(rN/2) + 2(rN/2) = 3rN \quad (\text{E.7})$$

The radix-3 section requires 4 real multiplications and 12 real additions per butterfly and 4 real multiplications and two additions per complex twiddle factor. Using Eqs (E.1) and (E.2) the number of butterflies for  $p=3$  is:

$$\sum_{i=1}^S (N/p_i) = \sum_{i=1}^S (N/3) = sN/3 \quad (\text{E.8})$$

and the number of twiddle factor (neglecting the  $N-1$  term) is:

$$\sum_{i=1}^S (N(p_i-1)/p_i) = 2sN/3 \quad (\text{E.9})$$

Combining the additions and multiplication, required for each butterfly and twiddle factor with Eqs (E.8) - (E.9) gives the operations count for the radix-3 section as:

$$\text{real mult} = 4(sN/3) + 4(2sN/3) = 4sN \quad (\text{E.10})$$

$$\text{real adds} = 12(sN/3) + 2(2sN/3) = 16sN/3 \quad (\text{E.11})$$

The radix-4 section has zero real multiplications and 16 real additions per butterfly with 4 real



multiplications and 2 real additions per twiddle factor.

The number of butterflies, where  $p=4$ , is given by:

$$\sum_{i=1}^t (N/p_i) = \sum_{i=1}^t (N/4) = tN/4 \quad (E.12)$$

the number of twiddle factors is:

$$\sum_{i=1}^t (N(p_i-1)/p_i) = \sum_{i=1}^t (3N/4) = 3tN/4 \quad (E.13)$$

Using the number of multiplications and additions per butterfly and twiddle factor in Eqs (E.12) - (E.13) gives the total operations for factors of 4 as:

$$\text{real mult} = 4(3tN/4) = 3tN \quad (E.14)$$

$$\text{real adds} = 16(tN/4) + 2(3tN/4) = 11tN/2 \quad (E.15)$$

The radix-5 section requires 16 real multiplications and 32 additions per butterfly with 4 real multiplications and 2 additions per twiddle factor. Using Eqs (E.1) and (E.2) where  $p=5$  gives the total butterflies as:

$$\sum_{i=1}^u (N/p_i) = \sum_{i=1}^u (N/5) = uN/5 \quad (E.16)$$

and the number of twiddle factors as:

$$\sum_{i=1}^u (N(p_i-1)/p_i) = \sum_{i=1}^u (4N/5) = 4uN/5 \quad (E.17)$$

Combining Eqs (E.16) - (E.17) with the operations required for butterflies and twiddle factor in the radix-5 section gives the total as:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{real mult} &= 16(uN/5) + 4(4uN/5) = 32uN/5 \\ \text{real adds} &= 32(uN/5) + 2(4uN/5) = 8uN\end{aligned}\tag{E.18}$$

Using the results of Eqs (E.4) - (E.18) and subtracting the  $N-1$  complex twiddles provides the number of real operations used for butterflies and twiddle factors for the mixed radix algorithm. The expressions are:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{real mult} &= 2rN + 4sN + 3tN \\ &+ 32uN/5 - 4(N-1)\end{aligned}\tag{E.19}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{real adds} &= 3rN + 16sN/3 + 11tN/2 \\ &+ 8uN - 2(N-1)\end{aligned}\tag{E.20}$$

Recall that Eqs (E.19) - (E.20) account for only two of the three sources of real operations in this algorithm. The third source is computing the sine and cosine look up table. From the FORTRAN program in this appendix the expressions computing the look up table are:

$$WKC(I) = C*WKC(I-1) - S*WKS(I-1) + WKC(I-1) \tag{E.21}$$

$$WKS(I) = (*WKS(I-1) + S*WKC(I-1) + WKS(I-1) \tag{E.22}$$

Each equation requires 5 real additions and 2 real multiplications and they are computed  $N-1$  times for the mixed radix FFT. The real operations required to compute the look up table are:

$$\text{real mult} = 4(N-1) \tag{E.23}$$

$$\text{real adds} = 10(N-1) \tag{E-24}$$

Combining Eqs (E.23) - (E.24) with the real operations for butterflies and twiddle factors provides the total real operations for the mixed radix FFT:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{real mult} &= 2rN + 4sN + 3tN \\
 &+ 32uN/5 - 4(N-1) + 4(N-1) \\
 &= 2rN + 4sN + 3tN + 32uN/5
 \end{aligned} \tag{E.25}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{real adds} &= 3rN + 16sN/3 + 11tN/2 \\
 &+ 8uN - 2(N-1) + 10(N-1) \\
 &= 3rN + 16sN/3 + 11tN/2 \\
 &+ 8uN + 8(N-1)
 \end{aligned} \tag{E.26}$$

Development of the Mixed  
Radix Digit-Reversed Algorithm

Assuming that the number of points to be transformed satisfies  $N=r_1, r_2, \dots, r_m$ , where  $r_1, r_2, \dots, r_m$  are integer values, the indices of  $x(n)$  and  $X(k)$  can be expressed as (Brigham, 1974):

$$n = n_{m-1} (r_2 r_3 \dots r_m) + n_{m-2} (r_3 r_4 \dots r_m) + n_1 r_m + n_0 \quad (\text{E.27})$$

$$k = k_{m-1} (r_1 r_2 \dots r_{m-1}) + k_{m-2} (r_1 r_2 \dots r_{m-2}) + k_1 r_1 + k_0 \quad (\text{E.28})$$

where

$$k_{i-1} = 0, 1, 2, \dots, r_i - 1 \quad i \leq i \leq m$$

$$n_i = 0, 1, 2, \dots, r_{m-i} - 1 \quad 0 \leq i \leq m-i$$

For  $N=30 = 2 \times 3 \times 5 = r_1 r_2 r_3$  and  $m=3$  the input sequence  $x(n)$  counter is:

$$n = n_2 (15) + n_1 (5) + n_0 \quad (\text{E.29})$$

where

$$n_0 = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4$$

$$n_1 = 0, 1, 2$$

$$n_2 = 0, 1$$

The output counter  $k$  for  $X(k)$  is:

$$k = k_2 (6) + k_1 (2) + k_0$$

where

$$k_0 = 0, 1$$

$$k_1 = 0, 1, 2$$

$$k_2 = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4$$

To implement the general digit reversed counter let the input counter  $n$  use the digit reversed multipliers of the output counter  $k$ :

$$\begin{aligned} n = n_{m-1} + n_{m-2} (r_1) + \dots \\ + n_1 (r_1 r_2 \dots r_{m-2}) + n_0 (r_1 r_2 \dots r_{m-1}) \end{aligned} \quad (\text{E.30})$$

For the example  $r_1 r_2 r_3 = 2 \times 3 \times 5 = 30$  the digit reversed counter becomes:

$$n = n_2 + 2n_1 + 6n_0 \quad (\text{E.31})$$

where, as before:

$$n_0 = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4$$

$$n_1 = 0, 1, 2$$

$$n_2 = 0, 1$$

## Appendix F. Singleton's Mixed Radix FFT

This program was written by R.C. Singleton and published by the IEEE press in "Programs for Digital Signal Processing". It computes the DFT defined by:

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) \exp(-j2\pi nk/N)$$

It also computes the  $1/N$  scaled inverse Fourier transform.

The subroutine listed in this appendix factors  $N$  into "square" and "square-free" factors and stores the results in an array NFAC. It then calls subroutine FFTMX to compute the complex Fourier transform, twiddle the data, and reorder the complex array to final order.

Use of this subroutine for multi-variate transforms is described in the comments section at the beginning of the program. A multi-variate transform is basically a single-variate transform with modified indexing (Singleton, 1977).

The subroutine listed permits the sequence length that has 15 or fewer factors.

The smallest number that has more than 15 factors is 12,754,584 and if this condition is encountered an error message is printed.

The transform portion of the subroutine includes sections for factors of 2, 3, 4, or 5 as well as a general section for odd prime factors. The special sections for 2 and 4 include the twiddle factor multiplication in these special sections instead of using the general twiddle factor

section. "Performing the transform in this manner produces a 10 percent speed improvement over the general twiddle section" (Singleton, 1969). The special sections for 3 and 5 are similar to the general odd factor section but reduce the indexing required and thus improve the speed (Singleton, 1969).

Arguments. The Singleton FFT for computing a complex single-variate transform is called using the following arguments:

A = The real part of the array to be transformed and is dimensioned to length N.

B = The imaginary part of the array to be transformed and is dimensioned to length N.

N = Length of the input sequence N which must be a positive integer with no more than 15 factors.

NSPN = The spacing of consecutive data values while indexing the current variable (in units determined by the magnitude of ISN).

ISN = The sign of ISN determines the transform direction (negative for forward and positive for inverse). The magnitude of ISN determines the indexing increment for arrays A and B. Normally the magnitude of ISN is unity.

NSEG = An integer value such that  $NSEG \times N \times NSPN$  equals the total number of complex data values.

Usage. For a single-variate forward transform:

- (1) Specify the input sequences A and B and parameters NSEG=1, N=transform length, NSPN=1, and ISN= -1.
- (2) Dimension A and B to length N.
- (3) Call FFTSNG (A,B,NSEG,N,NSPN,ISN).
- (4) A and B are the output real and imaginary portion of the complex vector X(b).

To perform a real valued, inverse, or multi-variate transform refer to the comments portion of FFTSNG.



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230=0
240=0
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250=0
260=0
270=0 ARRAYS A AND B ORIGINALLY HOLD THE REAL AND IMAGINARY
280=0 COMPONENTS OF THE DATA, AND RETURN THE REAL AND
290=0 IMAGINARY COMPONENTS OF THE RESULTING FOURIER COEFFICIENTS
.
300=0 MULTIVARIATE DATA IS INDEXED ACCORDING TO THE FORTRAN
310=0 ARRAY ELEMENT SUCCESSOR FUNCTION, WITHOUT LIMIT
320=0 ON THE NUMBER OF IMPLIED MULTIPLE CHARACTERISTICS.
330=0 THE SUBROUTINE IS CALLED ONCE FOR EACH VARIABLE.
340=0 THE CALL FOR A MULTIVARIATE TRANSFORM MAY BE IN ANY
.
350=0
360=0 N IS THE DIMENSION OF THE CURRENT VARIABLE.
370=0 NIMP IS THE NUMBER OF CONSECUTIVE DATA VALUES
380=0 WHILE INITIATING THE CURRENT VARIABLE.
390=0 NDATA IS THE TOTAL NUMBER OF COMPLETE DATA VALUES.
.
400=0
410=0
.
420=0
430=0
440=0 IF PART 1 IS CALLED TWICE, WITH DIFFERENT DATA, ON 1 OR MORE
450=0 IDENTICAL TRANSFORMATIONS, IT MAY BE CALLED ONCE FOR EACH
PART.
460=0 THE RESULT WILL BE CALLED FIRST WHEN THE LAST OF THE
PARTS
470=0
480=0
490=0
500=0 CALL FFT(A,B,N,N,N1,N2,-1)
510=0 CALL FFT(A,B,N,N,N1,-1)
520=0 CALL FFT(A,B,1,N3,N1,N2,-1)
530=0

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1250=      IF (M+KT, 6T, 15) GO TO 120
1260=      IF (M+KT, 6T, 15) GO TO 120
1270=      IF (M+KT, 6T, 15) GO TO 110
1280=      J = KT
1290= 100  M = M + 1
1300=      NPAR(M) = NPAR(J)
1310=      J = J - 1
1320=      IF (J, 6T, 15) GO TO 100
1330=
1340= 110  MARE = M - KT
1350=      MARE = NPAR(MARE)
1360=      IF (MARE, 6T, 15) MARE = MARE - 1
1370=      J = J + MARE
1380=      J = J + MARE
1390=      J = J + MARE
1400=      K = 10 * MARE
1410=      K = 10 * MARE
1420=      CALL FRTM (2, 1, 10 * MARE, 10 * MARE, 10 * MARE, 10 * MARE)
1430=      CALL FRTM (2, 1, 10 * MARE, 10 * MARE, 10 * MARE, 10 * MARE)
1440=
1450=
1460= 120  IERR = 1
1470=      OR IERR = 1
1480=      FORMAT (5H IERR = RET PARAMETER N PAR MORE THAN 100)
1490= 130  PRINT *, "N PAR MORE THAN 100"
1500=      RETURN
1510=
1520=      STOPPING FRTM (A, B, TOT, N, B, EN, 10 * MARE, 10 * MARE, 10 * MARE, 10 * MARE)
1530=      CP, DE, NEM, NPAR
1540=

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      I = 0
      DO 100 I = 1, 2 * FLIM
      S1 = 0
      S1 = (D * C1 - C1 * D) * S1

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THE FOLLOWING THREE STATEMENTS COMPENSATE FOR TRUNCATION  
 IF ROUNDED ARITHMETIC IS USED. SUBSTITUTE

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      S1 = (D * C1 - C1 * D) * S1 + 0.5
      S1 = 1
      S1 = 1

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      S1 = S1 * 2
      S1 = S1 * 2
      S1 = S1 * 2
      S1 = S1 * 2

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      IF (S1) GO TO 10
      IF (S1) GO TO 20
      IF (S1) GO TO 30
      IF (S1) GO TO 40
      IF (S1) GO TO 50
      IF (S1) GO TO 60
      IF (S1) GO TO 70
      IF (S1) GO TO 80
      IF (S1) GO TO 90
      IF (S1) GO TO 100
      IF (S1) GO TO 110
      IF (S1) GO TO 120
      IF (S1) GO TO 130
      IF (S1) GO TO 140
      IF (S1) GO TO 150
      IF (S1) GO TO 160
      IF (S1) GO TO 170
      IF (S1) GO TO 180
      IF (S1) GO TO 190
      IF (S1) GO TO 200
      IF (S1) GO TO 210
      IF (S1) GO TO 220
      IF (S1) GO TO 230
      IF (S1) GO TO 240
      IF (S1) GO TO 250
      IF (S1) GO TO 260
      IF (S1) GO TO 270
      IF (S1) GO TO 280
      IF (S1) GO TO 290
      IF (S1) GO TO 300
      IF (S1) GO TO 310
      IF (S1) GO TO 320
      IF (S1) GO TO 330
      IF (S1) GO TO 340
      IF (S1) GO TO 350
      IF (S1) GO TO 360
      IF (S1) GO TO 370
      IF (S1) GO TO 380
      IF (S1) GO TO 390
      IF (S1) GO TO 400
      IF (S1) GO TO 410
      IF (S1) GO TO 420
      IF (S1) GO TO 430
      IF (S1) GO TO 440
      IF (S1) GO TO 450
      IF (S1) GO TO 460
      IF (S1) GO TO 470
      IF (S1) GO TO 480
      IF (S1) GO TO 490
      IF (S1) GO TO 500
      IF (S1) GO TO 510
      IF (S1) GO TO 520
      IF (S1) GO TO 530
      IF (S1) GO TO 540
      IF (S1) GO TO 550
      IF (S1) GO TO 560
      IF (S1) GO TO 570
      IF (S1) GO TO 580
      IF (S1) GO TO 590
      IF (S1) GO TO 600
      IF (S1) GO TO 610
      IF (S1) GO TO 620
      IF (S1) GO TO 630
      IF (S1) GO TO 640
      IF (S1) GO TO 650
      IF (S1) GO TO 660
      IF (S1) GO TO 670
      IF (S1) GO TO 680
      IF (S1) GO TO 690
      IF (S1) GO TO 700
      IF (S1) GO TO 710
      IF (S1) GO TO 720
      IF (S1) GO TO 730
      IF (S1) GO TO 740
      IF (S1) GO TO 750
      IF (S1) GO TO 760
      IF (S1) GO TO 770
      IF (S1) GO TO 780
      IF (S1) GO TO 790
      IF (S1) GO TO 800
      IF (S1) GO TO 810
      IF (S1) GO TO 820
      IF (S1) GO TO 830
      IF (S1) GO TO 840
      IF (S1) GO TO 850
      IF (S1) GO TO 860
      IF (S1) GO TO 870
      IF (S1) GO TO 880
      IF (S1) GO TO 890
      IF (S1) GO TO 900
      IF (S1) GO TO 910
      IF (S1) GO TO 920
      IF (S1) GO TO 930
      IF (S1) GO TO 940
      IF (S1) GO TO 950
      IF (S1) GO TO 960
      IF (S1) GO TO 970
      IF (S1) GO TO 980
      IF (S1) GO TO 990
      IF (S1) GO TO 1000

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3400=      K = K + 1; GO TO 3410
3410=      IF (K.EQ.1) GO TO 3420
3420=      AK2 = AKM + BKM
3430=      BK2 = BKM + AKM
3440=      AK3 = AKM + BKM
3450=      BK3 = BKM + AKM
3460=      KK = K3 + KSPAN
3470=      IF (KK.LE.NT) GO TO 150
3480=      KK = KK - NT + JC
3490=      IF (KK.LE.MM) GO TO 130
3500=      IF (KK.LT.KSPAN) GO TO 200
3510=      KK = KK - KSPAN + INC
3520=      IF (KK.LE.JC) GO TO 130
3530=      IF (KSPAN.EQ.JC) GO TO 350
3540=      GO TO 40
3550=      AKR = AKM + BKM
3560=      AKM = AKM + BKM
3570=      BKR = BKM + AKM
3580=      BKM = BKM + AKM
3590=      IF (C1.NE.0.0) GO TO 180
3600=      AK1 = AKR
3610=      BK1 = BKR
3620=      GO TO 100
3630=      AK = AK + 1; BKM = BKM + 1
3640=      IF (KK.LT.KSPAN) GO TO 3630
3650=      GO TO 100
3660=      C1 = AKM + BKM + 1; C2 = BKM + AKM + 1
3670=      C1 = C1 + 1; C2 = C2 + 1
3680=      GO TO 100
3690=      GO TO 140
3700=      GO TO 140
3710=      TRANSFORM FOR FACTOR OF 5 (OPTIONAL CODE)
3720=      GO TO 140
3730=      C3 = C3 + 1; C4 = C4 + 1

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4070=      A = A + B
4080=      B = B + A
4090=
4100=      C = C + A
4110=      D = D + B
4120=      E = E + C
4130=      F = F + D
4140=      G = G + E
4150=      H = H + F
4160=      I = I + G
4170=      J = J + H
4180=      K = K + I
4190=      L = L + J
4200=      M = M + K
4210=      N = N + L
4220=      O = O + M
4230=      P = P + N
4240=      Q = Q + O
4250=      R = R + P
4260=      S = S + Q
4270=      T = T + R
4280=      U = U + S
4290=      V = V + T
4300=      W = W + U
4310= 240  CK(J) = CK(K) * C1 + SK(K) * S1

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4470=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4480=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4490=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4500=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4510=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4520=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4530=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4540=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4550=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4560=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4570=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4580=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4590=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4600=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4610=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4620=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4630=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4640=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4650=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4660=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4670=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4680=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4690=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4700=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)

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4710=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4720=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4730=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4740=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4750=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4760=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4770=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4780=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4790=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4800=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4810=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4820=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4830=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4840=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)
4850=      A(I) = A(I) + B(I)
4860=      B(I) = B(I) + A(I)

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5040=  BE DELETED.
5050=
5060=  C1 = 0.5*(C2**2+S1**2) + 0.5
5070=  S1 = C1*S1
5080=  C2 = C1*C2
5090= 320  C1 = C2
5100=      C2 = S1
5110=      KK = KK + KSPAN
5120= 330  AK = AKKK
5130=      AKKK = C2*AK + S2*BKKK
5140=      BKKK = S2*AK + C2*BKKK
5150=      KK = KK + KIPNM
5160=      IF (KK.LE.NT) GO TO 330
5170=      AK = S1*B
5180=      C2 = C1*B + C1*S2
5190=      C2 = C1*C2 + KK
5200=      KK = KK + NT + KSPAN
5210=      IF (KK.LE.KSPAN) GO TO 330
5220=      KK = KK + KIPNM + 1
5230=      IF (KK.LE.NM) GO TO 310
5240=      C1 = C1 + C2 + 1
5250=      C2 = C1 + C2 + 1
5260=
5270=
5280= 340  C1 = (C1+C2+1)*(C1+C2+4)
5290=      C2 = (C1+C2)
5300=      C1 = (C1+C2)
5310=      NM = MIN(NT,KSPAN,NM+1)
5320=      GO TO 330
5330=
5340=  PERFORM THE ABOVE 1 TO NORMAL CASES---DONE IN PART 1
5350=  PERFORM THE ABOVE 2 TO NORMAL CASES---DONE IN PART 1
5360=
5370= 350  RECU = K
5380=      IF (NT.EQ.0) GO TO 440
5390=      K = NT + NT + 1
5400=      IF (M.LT.K) K = K - 1
5410=      J = 1

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#### Appendix G. IMSL Mixed Radix FFT

The International Mathematical Subroutine Library contains a mixed radix subroutine which can perform the FFT of any positive integer length sequence. This subroutine was based on Singleton's article "On Computing the Fast Fourier Transform", Comm. ACM 10(10) 1967 in which he proposed several ideas used in the IMSL subroutine. As stated in Chapter III the program closely resembles Singleton's algorithm published in the open literature but the IMSL version has been copyrighted and the FORTRAN code is not listed in this paper. The IMSL description of the algorithm and its usage are included in this appendix for the convenience of the reader and a detailed development of the real operations count which was not presented in the main text is also in this appendix.

Real Operations Count For  
IMSL Mixed Radix Algorithm

A copyrighted mixed radix FFT is available through the International Mathematical Scientific Library (IMSL) on the CDC computer used at AFIT. This subroutine (FFTCC) can accept any length sequence N including prime numbers. It is based on an article written by Singleton, "On Computing the Fast Fourier Transform" published in 1967.

Functionally this subroutine has few differences from Singleton's algorithm described in the preceding section. The factoring, twiddle factors, and reordering of the data is the same, however, the special sections for factors of 3 and 4 require 2 and 8 more additions, respectively, than Singleton's subroutine. Also this mixed radix algorithm uses the general factors section for odd prime factors of 5 or greater which further reduces the efficiency compared to Singleton's.

As in the case of Singleton's FFT subroutine the real operations count for the IMSL subroutine is determined from the number of twiddle factors:

$$\sum_{i=1}^m (N(p_i-1)/p_i) - (N-1) \quad (G.1)$$

and the number of butterflies:

$$\sum_{i=1}^m N/p_i \quad (G.2)$$

where  $N = p_1 p_2 \dots p_m$ . In this subroutine the factoring is performed such that  $N = 2^r 3^s 4^t p_1^{m_1} \dots p_k^{m_k}$  with the real operations count being derived from the FORTRAN coded subroutine FFTCC and the Eqs (G.1) and (G.2). The radix-2 section of FFTCC includes the twiddle factor multiplications with the butterfly computation. In this case there are  $rN/2$  butterflies and twiddle factors to be computed using 4 real multiplications and 6 real additions giving:

$$\# \text{ real mult} = 4(rN/2) = 2rN \quad (\text{G.3})$$

$$\# \text{ real adds} = 6(rN/2) = 3rN \quad (\text{G.4})$$

The radix-3 section uses  $sN/3$  butterflies and  $2sN/3$  twiddle factors which require 4 real multiplications and 14 additions per butterfly and 4 real multiplications and 2 real additions per twiddle factor. Combining the butterflies and twiddle factors the real operations count for the radix-3 section is given by:

$$\text{real mult} = 4(2sN/3) + 4(sN/3) = 4sN \quad (\text{G.5})$$

$$\text{real adds} = 14(sN/3) + 2(2sN/3) = 6sN \quad (\text{G.6})$$

The radix-4 section uses 24 real additions and no real multiplications for the  $tN/4$  butterflies. The  $3tN/4$  twiddle factors require 2 real additions and 4 real multiplications. Combining the results gives:

$$\text{real mult} = 3tN \quad (\text{G.7})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{real adds} &= 24tN/4 + 2(3tN/4) \\ &= 15tN/2 \end{aligned} \quad (\text{G.8})$$



All odd prime factors equal to or greater than 5 use the general transform section. Based on the FORTRAN program written by IMSL there are five sources of real operations in this general radix- $p_i$  transform excluding the array indexing additions. First the complex multipliers are computed for the butterfly transmittance:

$$\text{real mult} = 2(p_i - 1) \quad (\text{G.9})$$

$$\text{real adds} = (p_i - 1) \quad (\text{G.10})$$

for each new factor  $p_i$ , e.g.,  $N=7*4=28$  and  $N=7*7*4=196$  each require the same  $(p_i - 1) = (7 - 1)$  complex multiplications for the factor  $p_i = 7$ . Second the complex twiddle factor multiplications are performed on the data array. Assuming  $N$  can be factored as:

$$N = 2^r 3^s 4^t p_1^{m1} p_2^{m2} \dots p_k^{mk}$$

where  $p_i^{mi}$  represents the  $i^{\text{th}}$  factor raised to some positive integer  $mi$ , the number of complex twiddles is  $(mi)N(p_i - 1)/p_i - (N - 1)$ . The  $n - 1$  term is subtracted only once for each FFT, which means the intermediate result can be written as:

$$\text{real mult} = 4(mi)N(p_i - 1)/p_i \quad (\text{G.11})$$

$$\text{real adds} = 2(mi)N(p_i - 1)/p_i \quad (\text{G.12})$$

The individual butterflies are computed next. The first output of each butterfly requires only  $3(p_i - 1)/2$  real additions and no multiplications. For each radix- $p_i^{mi}$  there are  $(mi)N/p_i$  butterflies in the FFT giving:

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{real adds} &= (8(p_i-1)/2)(N(mi)/p_i) \\
&= 4N(mi)(p_i-1)/p_i
\end{aligned} \tag{G.13}$$

Now the remaining portion of each butterfly is computed using  $(p_i-1)^2$  real multiplications and additions. This gives a total of:

$$\text{real mult} = N(p_i-1)^2(mi)/p_i \tag{G.14}$$

$$\text{real adds} = N(p_i-1)^2(mi)/p_i \tag{G.15}$$

Finally the results of the butterfly operations are stored in the proper array locations requiring 4 real additions times  $(p_i-1)/2$  times the number of radix- $p_i$  butterflies. This total is:

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{real adds} &= (4(p_i-1)/2)(N(mi)/p_i) \\
&= 2(mi)N(p_i-1)/p_i
\end{aligned} \tag{G.16}$$

Combining Eqs (G.9) - (G.16) the number of real operations for the  $p_i$  factor becomes:

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{real mult} &= \sum_{i=1}^k (2(p_i-1) + 4(mi)N(p_i-1)/p_i \\
&\quad + N(p_i-1)^2(mi)/p_i)
\end{aligned} \tag{G.17}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{real adds} &= \sum_{i=1}^k ((p_i-1) + 2(mi)N(p_i-1)/p_i \\
&\quad + 4(mi)N(p_i-1)/p_i + N(p_i-1)^2(mi)/p_i \\
&\quad + 2(mi)N(p_i-1)/p_i) \\
&= \sum_{i=1}^k ((p_i-1) + 8(mi)N(p_i-1)/p_i \\
&\quad + N(p_i-1)^2(mi)/p_i)
\end{aligned} \tag{G.18}$$

Using Eqs (G.17) and (G.18) for the odd prime factors and the real operations count for factors of 2, 3, and 4 the total operations count for  $N = 2^r 3^s 4^t p_1^{m_1} \dots p_k^{m_k}$  can be written as:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{real mult} &= 2rN + 4sN + 3tN \\ &+ \sum_{i=1}^k (2(p_i-1) + 4(m_i)N(p_i-1)/p_i \\ &+ N(m_i) (p_i-1)^2/p_i) - 4(N-1) \end{aligned} \quad (\text{G.19})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{real adds} &= 3rN + 6sN + 15tN/2 \\ &+ \sum_{i=1}^k ((p_i-1) + 8(m_i)N(p_i-1)/p_i \\ &+ N(m_i) (p_i-1)^2/p_i) - 2(N-1) \end{aligned} \quad (\text{G.20})$$

As in any FFT the real operations associated with the twiddle factors have been reduced by  $(N-1)$  multiplications and additions because the last stage of decimation-in-frequency or the first stage of a decimation-in-time FFT require no twiddles.

## Appendix H. An Algorithm for Computing the WFTA

This program computes the DFT defined by:

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) \exp(-j2\pi nk/N) ; k=0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

where the sequence length  $N$  is a product of the relative prime factors from the set (2,3,4,5,7,8,9,16).

Program Description. The WFTA consists of the six subroutines PERM 1, PERM 2, MULT, WEAWE 1, WEAWE 2, and INISHL. Step One is to map the sequence  $x(n)$  into a  $u$ -dimensional array  $s(n_1, n_2, \dots, n_u)$ . Step Two implements the "pre-weave" modules in subroutine WEAWE 1, one for each factor of  $N_j$ . Each of the pre-weave modules contains only additions. Step Three performs a point by point multiply on the data array (subroutine MULT) of real constants derived from the small- $N$  DFT algorithms. These constant multipliers are a function of the complex exponentials of  $W_N$  and are the only complex multiplications required in the algorithm. Step Four implements the post-weave (WEAWE 2 subroutine) module which contains additions, subtractions, and multiplies by  $j$ . Step Five maps the  $u$ -dimensional array  $s(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_u)$  into the correct one-dimensional DFT  $x(k)$  according to the Chinese remainder theorem given in Eq (3.144) (McClellan and Nawab, 1979).

Arguments. The WFTA is called using the following arguments. More arguments exist in this list than in the one given by McClellan and Nawab because array storage is minimized in this WFTA version.

N = Transform length which must be factorable into mutually prime factors from the set 2,3,4,5,7,8,9,16. A list of acceptable sequence lengths is given in the left-most column of Table 3.9a,b.

XR and XI = The real and imaginary arrays to be transformed and are dimensioned to length N in the calling program.

INIT = A flag to specify whether the call to FFTWIN requires initialization. INIT = 0 means initialization is required and INIT  $\neq$  0 skips the phase. Initialization is needed when calling FFTWIN for the first time for a given sequence length.

IERR = Contains an error code upon return from FFTWIN. If the DFT was successful IERR = 0; if an error occurred IERR = -1 or -2. There are two causes for an error:

- (1) The transform length is illegal, or
- (2) The program has not been initialized for the correct length N sequence.

SR and SI = One dimensional working arrays of length  $M = M_1 \times M_2 \times M_3 \times M_4$  which is the product of the multiplies required by the small-N algorithms. The value of M for any permissible N is given in Table H.1 in the right-most column.

COEF = One-dimensional array length M used to store the constant coefficients generated by INISHL for the "weave" modules.

INDX1 and INDX2 = One-dimensional length N mapping vectors for pre- and post-permutations of the data.

Usage

- (1) Specify the input sequences XR and XI with parameters N, INIT, IERR, SR, WI, COEF, INDX 1, INDX 2.
- (2) Call WFTA (XR, XI, N, INIT, ERR, SR, SI, COEF, INDX 1, INDX 2).
- (3) XR and XI are the output real and imaginary vectors.  
The error code IERR=0 specifies successful completion of the transform.
- (4) After the initial call, use INIT $\neq$ 0 as long as N remains constant.







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1840=      M=1
1850=
1860=
1870=
1880=      GO TO 550
1890=      S2=P1+1
1900=      IF (ND.EQ.1) GO TO 630
1910=      M=1
1920=      P1=M*NM-1
1930=      IF ((P1/ND)*ND.EQ.P1) GO TO 610
1940=      M=M+1
1950=      GO TO 620
1960=      S3=P1+1
1970=      IF (ND.EQ.1) GO TO 660
1980=      M=1
1990=      P1=M*NM-1
2000=      IF ((P1/ND)*ND.EQ.P1) GO TO 650
2010=      M=M+1
2020=      GO TO 640
2030=      S4=P1+1
2040=      S=1
2050=      DO 810 N4=1,ND
2060=      DO 810 N=1,N
2070=      IF (N.EQ.1)
2080=
2090=
2100=
2110=
2120=
2130=
2140=
2150=
2160=
2170=
2180=
2190=
2200=
2210=
2220=
2230=
2240=
2250=
2260=
2270=
2280=
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2430=      IF (N1) GO TO 2440
2440=      IF (N2) GO TO 2450
2450=      IF (N3) GO TO 2460
2460=      IF (N4) GO TO 2470
2470=      K=1
2480=      INC1=ND1-NA
2490=      INC2=ND1+ND2-NB
2500=      INC3=ND1+ND2+ND3-NC
2510=      DO 40 N4=1,ND
2520=      DO 30 N3=1,ND
2530=      DO 20 N2=1,NB
2540=      DO 10 N1=1,NA
2550=      XR(INDX2(K))=SR(J)
2560=      XI(INDX2(K))=SI(J)
2570=      K=K+1
2580=      J=J+1
2590=      J=J+INC1
2600=      J=J+INC2
2610=      J=J+INC3
2620=      RETURN
2630=      END
2640=      SUBROUTINE MERGE1(SR,SI)
2650=      COMMON /MERGE1/ND1,ND2,ND3,ND4
2660=      ND=ND1+ND2+ND3+ND4

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2710=      .....
2720=      THE FOLLOWING CODE IMPLEMENTS THE 4-POINT MERGE
2730=      .....
2740=      .....
2750=      .....
2760=      ND=ND1+ND2+ND3+ND4
2770=      ND=ND1+ND2+ND3+ND4
2780=      ND=ND1+ND2+ND3+ND4
2790=      ND=ND1+ND2+ND3+ND4
2800=      DO 240 N4=1,ND
2810=      DO 230 N3=1,ND
2820=      DO 220 N2=1,NB

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2410= NR1=NR8+1
2420= I0=8-10+2+NR1
2430= NR1=NR1+NR1+NR1+NR1
2440= NR1=NR1
2450= I0=I0+NR1
2460= I0=I0+NR1
2470= I0=I0
2480= NR1=NR1+NR1
2490= NR1=NR1+NR1
2500= NR1=NR1+NR1
2510= NR1=NR1+NR1
2520= I0=I0+NR1
2530=
2540= .....
2550=
2560= THE FOLLOWING CODE IMPLEMENTS THE ABOVE
2570=
2580= .....
2590=
3000= NR1=NR1+NR1
3010= NR2=NR1+NR1+NR1+NR1
3020= NR3=1
3030= DO 840 NR1=1+NR1
3040= DO 830 NR2=1+NR2
3050= DO 820 NR3=1+NR3
3060= NR1=NR3+1
3070= NR2=NR1+1
3080= NR3=NR2+1
3090= NR4=NR3+1
3100= NR5=NR4+1
3110= NR6=NR5+1
3120= NR7=NR6+1
3130= T3=NR3+NR3+NR3+NR3
3140= T7=NR3+NR3+NR3+NR3
3150= T0=NR3+NR3+NR3+NR3
3160= NR4=NR3+NR3+NR3+NR3
3170= T1=NR3+NR3+NR3+NR3
3180= T5=NR3+NR3+NR3+NR3
3190= T2=NR3+NR3+NR3+NR3
3200= NR3=NR3+NR3+NR3+NR3
3210= NR4=NR3+NR3+NR3+NR3
3220= NR5=NR4+NR4
3230= NR6=NR5+NR5
3240= NR7=NR6+NR6
3250= NR8=NR7+NR7
3260= NR9=NR8+NR8
3270= NR10=NR9+NR9
3280= NR11=NR10+NR10
3290= NR12=NR11+NR11
3300= NR13=NR12+NR12
3310= NR14=NR13+NR13
3320= NR15=NR14+NR14
3330= NR16=NR15+NR15
3340= NR17=NR16+NR16
3350= NR18=NR17+NR17
3360= NR19=NR18+NR18
3370= NR20=NR19+NR19
3380= NR21=NR20+NR20
3390= NR22=NR21+NR21
3400= NR23=NR22+NR22
3410= NR24=NR23+NR23
3420= NR25=NR24+NR24
3430= NR26=NR25+NR25
3440= NR27=NR26+NR26
3450= NR28=NR27+NR27
3460= NR29=NR28+NR28
3470= NR30=NR29+NR29
3480= NR31=NR30+NR30
3490= NR32=NR31+NR31
3500= NR33=NR32+NR32
3510= NR34=NR33+NR33
3520= NR35=NR34+NR34
3530= NR36=NR35+NR35
3540= NR37=NR36+NR36
3550= NR38=NR37+NR37
3560= NR39=NR38+NR38
3570= NR40=NR39+NR39
3580= NR41=NR40+NR40
3590= NR42=NR41+NR41
3600= NR43=NR42+NR42
3610= NR44=NR43+NR43
3620= NR45=NR44+NR44
3630= NR46=NR45+NR45
3640= NR47=NR46+NR46
3650= NR48=NR47+NR47
3660= NR49=NR48+NR48
3670= NR50=NR49+NR49
3680= NR51=NR50+NR50
3690= NR52=NR51+NR51
3700= NR53=NR52+NR52
3710= NR54=NR53+NR53
3720= NR55=NR54+NR54
3730= NR56=NR55+NR55
3740= NR57=NR56+NR56
3750= NR58=NR57+NR57
3760= NR59=NR58+NR58
3770= NR60=NR59+NR59
3780= NR61=NR60+NR60
3790= NR62=NR61+NR61
3800= NR63=NR62+NR62
3810= NR64=NR63+NR63
3820= NR65=NR64+NR64
3830= NR66=NR65+NR65
3840= NR67=NR66+NR66
3850= NR68=NR67+NR67
3860= NR69=NR68+NR68
3870= NR70=NR69+NR69
3880= NR71=NR70+NR70
3890= NR72=NR71+NR71
3900= NR73=NR72+NR72
3910= NR74=NR73+NR73
3920= NR75=NR74+NR74
3930= NR76=NR75+NR75
3940= NR77=NR76+NR76
3950= NR78=NR77+NR77
3960= NR79=NR78+NR78
3970= NR80=NR79+NR79
3980= NR81=NR80+NR80
3990= NR82=NR81+NR81

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3400=      10 NR1=11+18
3410=      10 NR2=11+18
3420=      10 NR3=11+18
3430=      10 NR4=11+18
3440=2000  NRH=NR1+NR2+NR3
3450=2000  NRH=NRH+NR4+NR5+NR6
3460=2400  NRH=NRH+NR7+NR8+NR9+NR10
3470=
3480=
3490=
3500=
3510=
3520=      NR1NR2=18*(NR1+NR2)
3530=      VALUE23=18*(NR2*(NR3+NR4)+NR5)
3540=      NRH=NR1
3550=      DO 1640 164=1+NR1
3560=      DO 1630 163=1+NR1
3570=      DO 1620 162=1+NR1
3580=      NR1=NR1+1
3590=      NR2=NR1+1
3600=      NR3=NR2+1
3610=      NR4=NR3+1
3620=      NR5=NR4+1
3630=      NR6=NR5+1
3640=      NR7=NR6+1
3650=      NR8=NR7+1
3660=      NR9=NR8+1
3670=      NR10=NR9+1
3680=      NR11=NR10+1
3690=      NR12=NR11+1
3700=      NR13=NR12+1
3710=      NR14=NR13+1
3720=      NR15=NR14+1
3730=      NR16=NR15+1
3740=      NR17=NR16+1
3750=      NR18=NR17+1
3760=      DO 1640 164=1+NR1
3770=      T1=18*(NR1+NR2+NR3+NR4+NR5+NR6)
3780=      T2=18*(NR6+NR7+NR8+NR9+NR10+NR11)
3790=      T3=NR1+NR2+NR3+NR4+NR5+NR6+NR7+NR8+NR9+NR10+NR11
3800=1840  C1=C1+T1+T2
3810=      DO 1650 165=1+4
3820=      NR1=1650+165+4
3830=      DO 1640 164=1650+165+4
3840=1850  C2=C1+NR1
3850=      IF (NRH-1) GO 16030
3860=      IF (NRH-1) GO 16030
3870=      IF (NR3) GO 16030
3880=      IF (NR5) GO 16030
3890=      IF (NR7) GO 16030
3900=      IF (NR4) GO 16030

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4030=      R(NR8)=T(9)
4040=      R(NR9)=T(9)
4050=      R(NR10)=T(10)+T(16)
4060=      R(NR15)=T(10)+T(16)
4070=      R(NR17)=T(14)+T(12)
4080=      R(NR11)=T(14)+T(12)
4090=      R(NR17)=R(NR11)+R(NR15)
4100=      R(NR16)=R(NR8)+R(NR13)
4110=      R(NR10)=T(11)+T(15)
4120=      R(NR14)=T(11)+T(15)
4130=      R(NR12)=T(11)
4140=      JRATE=JRATE
4150=      DO 1745 J=1,8
4160=      T(J)=T(J)*R(NR16)+T(J)*JRATE+
4170=      T(J+8)=T(J)*R(NR16)+T(J)*JRATE+50
4180=      JRATE=JRATE+1
4190=1745 CONTINUE
4200=      DO 1750 J=1,4
4210=      J(J)=T(J)+T(J+4)
4220=      T(J+4)=T(J)-T(J+4)
4230=1750 CONTINUE
4240=      SI(NR2)=0(1)+0(3)
4250=      SI(NR1)=0(2)+0(4)
4260=      SI(NR3)=0(2)+0(4)
4270=      SI(NR5)=0(6)+0(8)
4280=      SI(NR7)=0(6)+0(8)
4290=      SI(NR4)=0(5)
4300=      SI(NR6)=0(7)
4310=      SI(NR8)=T(9)
4320=      SI(NR9)=T(10)+T(16)
4330=      SI(NR15)=T(10)+T(16)
4340=      SI(NR13)=T(14)+T(12)
4350=      SI(NR11)=T(14)+T(12)
4360=      SI(NR17)=SI(NR11)+SI(NR15)
4370=      SI(NR16)=SI(NR8)+SI(NR13)
4380=      SI(NR10)=T(11)+T(15)
4390=      SI(NR14)=T(11)+T(15)
4400=      SI(NR12)=T(11)
4410=      JRATE=JRATE+12
4420=1755 JRATE=JRATE+400000
4430=1760 JRATE=JRATE+400000
4440=1765 JRATE=JRATE+400000
4450=      IF (JRATE .GT. 50) GO TO 200
4460=
4470= .....
4480=
4490=      THE FOLLOWING CODE IMPLEMENTS THE 3-POINT APPROXIMATION
4500= .....
4510=
4520=      NDIFF=2*ND1
4530=      NDIFF=3*ND1+ND2-ND3
4540=      NDIFF=1
4550=      NDIFF=ND1

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4470=      DO 940 N4=1,ND
4480=      DO 930 N3=1,ND
4490=      DO 910 N2=1,ND1
4500=      NR1=NRH*E+NOFF
4510=      NR2=NR1+NOFF
4520=      T1=SR(NR1)+SR(NR2)
4530=      SR(NR1E)=SR(NR1E)+T1
4540=      SR(NR2)=SR(NR1)-SR(NR2)
4550=      SR(NR1)=T1
4560=      T1=SR(NR1)+SR(NR2)
4570=      SR(NR1E)=SR(NR1E)+T1
4580=      SR(NR2)=SR(NR1)-SR(NR2)
4590=      SR(NR1)=T1
4600=810    NRH*E=NRH*E+1
4610=830    NRASE=NRASE+NLUP2
4620=840    NRASE=NRASE+NLUP3
4630=860    IF(NB.NE.9) GO TO 700
4640=
4650=0 .....
4660=0
4670=0      THE FOLLOWING CODE IMPLEMENTS THE 9 POINT PRE-WEAVE MODULE
4680=0
4690=0 .....
4700=0
4710=      NLUP2=10*ND1
4720=      NLUP23=11*ND1*(ND3-ND)
4730=      NRASE=1
4740=      NOFF=ND1
4750=      DO 940 N4=1,ND
4760=      DO 930 N3=1,ND
4770=      DO 910 N2=1,ND1
4780=      NR1=NRASE+NOFF
4790=      NR2=NR1+NOFF
4800=      NR3=NR2+NOFF
4810=      NR4=NR3+NOFF
4820=      NR5=NR4+NOFF
4830=      NR6=NR5+NOFF
4840=      NR7=NR6+NOFF
4850=      NR8=NR7+NOFF
4860=      NR9=NR8+NOFF
4870=      T1=SR(NR1)+SR(NR2)
4880=      T2=SR(NR3)+SR(NR4)
4890=      SR(NR1E)=SR(NR1E)+T1
4900=      T7=SR(NR7)+SR(NR8)
4910=      T8=SR(NR7)-SR(NR8)
4920=      SR(NR2)=T1
4930=      T1=SR(NR1)+SR(NR8)
4940=      T4=SR(NR1)-SR(NR8)
4950=      SR(NR1)=T1
4960=      T4=SR(NR4)+SR(NR5)
4970=      T5=SR(NR4)-SR(NR5)
4980=      SR(NR3)=T1+T4+T7
4990=      SR(NR4)=T1-T7
5000=      SR(NR5)=T4-T1
5010=

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5020=      R(NR6)=T2-T4
5030=      R(NR10)=T2+T5+T8
5040=      R(NR7)=T3-T2
5050=      R(NR8)=T5-T3
5060=      R(NR9)=T2-T5
5070=      T3=SI(NR3)+SI(NR6)
5080=      T6=SI(NR3)-SI(NR6)
5090=      SI(NBASE)=SI(NBASE)+T3
5100=      T7=SI(NR7)+SI(NR9)
5110=      T2=SI(NR7)-SI(NR9)
5120=      SI(NR2)=T6
5130=      T1=SI(NR1)+SI(NR4)
5140=      T8=SI(NR1)-SI(NR4)
5150=      SI(NR1)=T3
5160=      T4=SI(NR4)+SI(NR5)
5170=      T5=SI(NR4)-SI(NR5)
5180=      SI(NR3)=T1+T4+T7
5190=      SI(NR4)=T1-T7
5200=      SI(NR5)=T4-T1
5210=      SI(NR6)=T7-T4
5220=      SI(NR10)=T2+T5+T8
5230=      SI(NR7)=T8-T2
5240=      SI(NR8)=T5-T8
5250=      SI(NR9)=T2-T5
5260=910   NBASE=NBASE+1
5270=930   NBASE=NBASE+NLUP2
5280=940   NBASE=NBASE+NLUP23
5290=700   IF(NC.NE.7) GO TO 500
5300=0
5310=0 *****
5320=0
5330=0      THE FOLLOWING CODE IMPLEMENTS THE 7 POINT PRE-WEAVE MODULE
5340=0
5350=0 *****
5360=0
5370=      NOFF=ND1*ND2
5380=      NBASE=1
5390=      NLUP2=R*NOFF
5400=      DO 740 N4=1,ND
5410=      DO 710 N1=1,NOFF
5420=      NR1=NBASE+NOFF
5430=      NR2=NR1+NOFF
5440=      NR3=NR2+NOFF
5450=      NR4=NR3+NOFF
5460=      NR5=NR4+NOFF
5470=      NR6=NR5+NOFF
5480=      NR7=NR6+NOFF
5490=      NR8=NR7+NOFF
5500=      T1=SR(NR1)+SR(NR6)
5510=      T6=SR(NR1)-SR(NR6)
5520=      T4=SR(NR4)+SR(NR3)
5530=      T3=SR(NR4)-SR(NR3)
5540=      T2=SR(NR2)+SR(NR5)
5550=      T5=SR(NR2)-SR(NR5)
5560=      SR(NR5)=T6-T3

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5520=      SR(NR2)=T5+T3+T6
5530=      SR(NR6)=T5-T6
5540=      SR(NR3)=T5-T5
5550=      SR(NR7)=T3-T1
5560=      SR(NR4)=T1-T4
5570=      SR(NR7)=T4-T2
5580=      T1=T1+T4+T2
5590=      SR(NBASE)=SR(NBASE)+T1
5600=      SR(NR1)=T1
5610=      T1=SI(NR1)+SI(NR6)
5620=      T6=SI(NR1)-SI(NR6)
5630=      T4=SI(NR4)+SI(NR3)
5640=      T3=SI(NR4)-SI(NR3)
5650=      T2=SI(NR3)+SI(NR5)
5660=      T5=SI(NR2)-SI(NR5)
5670=      SI(NR5)=T6-T3
5680=      SI(NR2)=T5+T3+T6
5690=      SI(NR6)=T5-T6
5700=      SI(NR3)=T3-T5
5710=      SI(NR3)=T2-T1
5720=      SI(NR4)=T1-T4
5730=      SI(NR7)=T4-T2
5740=      T1=T1+T4+T2
5750=      SI(NBASE)=SI(NBASE)+T1
5760=      SI(NR1)=T1
5770=      NBASE=NBASE+1
5780=      NBASE=NBASE+NLRP2
5790=      IF(NBASE.5) RETURN
5800=
5810=
5820=
5830=
5840=
5850=
5860=
5870=
5880=
5890=
5900=
5910=
5920=      NDRF=ND1*ND2*ND3
5930=      NBASE=1
5940=      DO 510 N1=1,NDRF
5950=      NR1=NR4+NR+NDRF
5960=      NR2=NR1+NR+NDRF
5970=      NR3=NR2+NR+NDRF
5980=      NR4=NR3+NR+NDRF
5990=      NR5=NR4+NR+NDRF
6000=      T4=SR(NR1)-SR(NR4)
6010=      T1=SR(NR1)+SR(NR4)
6020=      T3=SR(NR3)+SR(NR2)
6030=      T2=SR(NR3)-SR(NR2)
6040=      SR(NR3)=T1-T3
6050=      SR(NR1)=T1+T3
6060=      SR(NBASE)=SR(NBASE)+SR(NR1)
6070=      SR(NR5)=T2+T4
6080=      SR(NR2)=T4
6090=      SR(NR4)=T2
6100=      T4=SI(NR1)-SI(NR4)
6110=      T1=SI(NR1)+SI(NR4)

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 THE FOLLOWING CODE IMPLEMENTS THE 5 POINT PRE-MERGE MODULE  
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6130=      T3=SI(NR3)+SI(NR2)
6140=      T3=SI(NR3)-SI(NR2)
6150=      SI(NR3)=T1-T3
6160=      SI(NR1)=T1+T3
6170=      SI(NR12)=SI(NR12)+SI(NR1)
6180=      SI(NR5)=T2+T4
6190=      SI(NR2)=T4
6200=      SI(NR4)=T2
6210=      NRATE=NRATE+1
6220=      RETURN
6230=      END
6240=      SUBROUTINE MDLT (CR,SI,COEF,NMULT)
6250=      COMMON NA,NE,NC,ND,ND1,ND2,ND3,ND4
6260=      REAL SR(1),SI(1),COEF(1)
6270=      DO 10 J=1,NMULT
6280=      SR(J)=SR(J)+COEF(J)
6290=      SI(J)=SI(J)+COEF(J)
6300=      CONTINUE
6310=      RETURN
6320=      END
6330=      SUBROUTINE WEAVE2(SR,SI)
6340=      REAL SR(1),SI(1)
6350=      COMMON NA,NE,NC,ND,ND1,ND2,ND3,ND4
6360=      REAL O(8),T(16)
6370=      IF(ND.NE.5) GO TO 700
6380=      .....
6390=      .....
6400=      THE FOLLOWING CODE IMPLEMENTS THE 5 POINT POST-WEAVE MODEL
6410=      .....
6420=      .....
6430=      .....
6440=      NOFF=ND1+ND2+ND3
6450=      NBASE=1
6460=      DO 510 J1=1,NOFF
6470=      NR1=NRATE+NOFF
6480=      NR2=NR1+NOFF
6490=      NR3=NR2+NOFF
6500=      NR4=NR3+NOFF
6510=      NR5=NR4+NOFF
6520=      T1=SI(NR1)+SI(NR2)+SI(NR3)+SI(NR4)+SI(NR5)
6530=      T1=T1+2*SI(NR3)
6540=      T1=T1+2*SI(NR3)
6550=      T4=SI(NR2)+SI(NR5)
6560=      T2=SI(NR4)+SI(NR5)
6570=      SR(NR1)=T1-T4
6580=      SR4=T1+T4
6590=      SR5=T3+T5
6600=      SR(NR5)=T3+T5
6610=      T1=SI(NRATE)+SI(NR1)
6620=      T3=T1-SI(NR3)
6630=      T1=T1+SI(NR3)
6640=      T4=SR(NR2)+SR(NR5)
6650=      T2=SR(NR4)+SR(NR5)
6660=      SI(NR1)=T1+T4

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6670=      SI(NR4)=T1-T4
6680=      SI(NR5)=T3-T2
6690=      SI(NR3)=T3+T2
6700=      SR(NR2)=NR2
6710=      SR(NR4)=NR4
6720=510   NR4=NR4+1
6730=700   IF(NR.NE.7) GO TO 300
6740=
6750=
6760=
6770=      THE FOLLOWING CODE IMPLEMENTS THE 2 POINT ALGORITHM
6780=
6790=
6800=
6810=      NOFF=NOI*NOE
6820=      NBASE=1
6830=      NLUP2=8*NOFF
6840=      DO 740 M4=1,N0
6850=      DO 710 M1=1,NOFF
6860=      NR1=NBASE+NOFF
6870=      NR2=NR1+NOFF
6880=      NR3=NR2+NOFF
6890=      NR4=NR3+NOFF
6900=      NR5=NR4+NOFF
6910=      NR6=NR5+NOFF
6920=      NR7=NR6+NOFF
6930=      NR8=NR7+NOFF
6940=      T1=SR(NR1)+SR(NBASE)
6950=      T2=T1-SR(NR3)-SR(NR4)
6960=      T4=T1+SR(NR3)-SR(NR7)
6970=      T1=T1+SR(NR4)+SR(NR7)
6980=      T6=SI(NR2)+SI(NR5)+SI(NR8)
6990=      T5=SI(NR2)-SI(NR5)-SI(NR6)
7000=      T3=SI(NR3)+SI(NR6)-SI(NR8)
7010=      SR(NR1)=T1-T6
7020=      SR6=T1+T6
7030=      SR2=T2-T5
7040=      SR5=T2+T5
7050=      SR(NR4)=T4-T3
7060=      SR(NR3)=T4+T3
7070=      T1=SI(NR1)+SI(NBASE)
7080=      T2=T1-SI(NR3)-SI(NR4)
7090=      T4=T1+SI(NR3)-SI(NR7)
7100=      T1=T1+SI(NR4)+SI(NR7)
7110=      T6=SR(NR2)+SR(NR5)+SR(NR8)
7120=      T5=SR(NR2)-SR(NR5)-SR(NR6)
7130=      T3=SR(NR3)+SR(NR6)-SR(NR8)
7140=      SI(NR1)=T1-T6
7150=      SI(NR6)=T1-T6
7160=      SI(NR2)=T2-T5
7170=      SI(NR5)=T2-T5
7180=      SI(NR4)=T4-T3
7190=      SI(NR3)=T4-T3
7200=      SR(NR2)=SR2
7210=      SR(NR5)=SR5

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7220=      SR(NR6)=SR6
7230=210    NBATE=NBATE+1
7240=240    NBATE=NBATE+NLUP2
7250=300    IF(NB.NE.1) GO TO 400
7260=      IF(NB.NE.3) GO TO 300
7270=
7280=
7290=
7300=      THE FOLLOWING CODE IMPLEMENTS THE 3 POINT POST-MERGE
7310=

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7320=
7330=
7340=      NLUP2=2*ND1
7350=      NLUP23=3*ND1*(ND3-ND)
7360=      NBASE=1
7370=      NOFF=ND1
7380=      DO 340 N5=1,ND
7390=      DO 330 N4=1,ND
7400=      DO 310 N2=1,ND1
7410=      NR1=NBASE+NOFF
7420=      NR2=NR1+NOFF
7430=      T1=SR(NBASE)+SR(NR1)
7440=      SR(NR1)=T1-SI(NR2)
7450=      SR2=T1+SI(NR2)
7460=      T1=SI(NBASE)+SI(NR1)
7470=      SI(NR1)=T1+SR(NR2)
7480=      SI(NR2)=T1-SR(NR2)
7490=      SR(NR2)=SR2
7500=310    NBASE=NBASE+1
7510=330    NBASE=NBASE+NLUP2
7520=340    NBASE=NBASE+NLUP23
7530=900    IF(NB.NE.9) GO TO 400
7540=

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7550=
7560=
7570=      THE FOLLOWING CODE IMPLEMENTS THE 9 POINT POST-MERGE MODULE
7580=

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7590=
7600=
7610=      NLUP2=10*ND1
7620=      NLUP23=11*ND1*(ND3-ND)
7630=      NBATE=1
7640=      NOFF=ND1
7650=      DO 940 N4=1,ND
7660=      DO 930 N3=1,ND
7670=      DO 910 N2=1,ND1
7680=      NR1=NBASE+NOFF
7690=      NR2=NR1+NOFF
7700=      NR3=NR2+NOFF
7710=      NR4=NR3+NOFF
7720=      NR5=NR4+NOFF
7730=      NR6=NR5+NOFF
7740=      NR7=NR6+NOFF
7750=      NR8=NR7+NOFF
7760=      NR9=NR8+NOFF

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7770= NR10=NR9+NOFF
7780= T3=SR(NR4)-SI(NR3)
7790= T7=SR(NR4)+SI(NR1)
7800= SR(NBASE)=SR(NBASE)+SR(NR5)+SR(NR3)
7810= T6=T3+SI(NR10)
7820= SR(NR3)=T3-SI(NR10)
7830= T4=T7+SR(NR5)-SR(NR6)
7840= T1=T7-SR(NR4)-SR(NR5)
7850= T7=T7+SR(NR4)+SR(NR6)
7860= SR(NR6)=T6
7870= T6=SI(NR2)-SI(NR7)-SI(NR8)
7880= T5=SI(NR2)+SI(NR8)-SI(NR9)
7890= T2=SI(NR2)+SI(NR7)+SI(NR9)
7900= SR(NR1)=T7-T2
7910= SR8=T7+T2
7920= SR(NR4)=T1-T8
7930= SR(NR5)=T1+T8
7940= T4=T4-T5
7950= SR2=T4+T5
7960= T3=SI(NBASE)-SI(NR3)
7970= T7=SI(NBASE)+SI(NR1)
7980= SI(NBASE)=SI(NBASE)+SI(NR3)+SI(NR3)
7990= T6=T3-SR(NR10)
8000= SI(NR3)=T3+SR(NR10)
8010= T4=T7+SI(NR5)-SI(NR6)
8020= T1=T7-SI(NR4)-SI(NR5)
8030= T7=T7+SI(NR4)+SI(NR6)
8040= SI(NR6)=T6
8050= T8=SR(NR2)-SR(NR7)-SR(NR8)
8060= T5=SR(NR2)+SR(NR8)-SR(NR9)
8070= T2=SR(NR2)+SR(NR7)+SR(NR9)
8080= SI(NR1)=T7+T2
8090= SI(NR8)=T7-T2
8100= SI(NR4)=T1+T8
8110= SI(NR5)=T1-T8
8120= SI(NR7)=T4+T5
8130= SI(NR2)=T4-T5
8140= SR(NR2)=SR2
8150= SR(NR7)=T47
8160= SR(NR8)=SR8
8170=410 NBASE=NBHE+1
8180=410 NHE=NBHE+NOFF2
8190=440 NBASE=NBASE+NUP23
8200=400 IF (NA.EQ.1) RETURN
8210= IF (NA.NE.4) GO TO 800
8220=
8230= .....
8240=
8250= THE FOLLOWING CODE IMPLEMENTS THE 4 POINT POST-WAVE METHOD
8260= .....
8270= .....
8280=
8290= NUP2=4*(ND2-NE)
8300= NUP23=4*NDP*(ND3-ND)
8310= NBASE=1

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8320=      DO 440 N4=1,N0
8330=      DO 430 N3=1,N0
8340=      DO 420 N2=1,N0
8350=      NR1=NRATE+1
8360=      NR2=NR1+1
8370=      NR3=NR2+1
8380=      TR0=SR(NBASE)+SR(NR2)
8390=      TR2=SR(NBASE)+SR(NR3)
8400=      TR1=SR(NR1)+SR(NR3)
8410=      TR3=SR(NR1)+SR(NR2)
8420=      TI1=SI(NR1)+SI(NR3)
8430=      TI3=SI(NR1)+SI(NR2)
8440=      SR(NBASE)=TR0+TR1
8450=      SR(NR2)=TR0-TR1
8460=      SR(NR1)=TR2+TI3
8470=      SR(NR3)=TR2-TI3
8480=      TI0=SI(NRATE)+SI(NR3)
8490=      TI2=SI(NBASE)+SI(NR2)
8500=      SI(NBASE)=TI0+TI1
8510=      SI(NR2)=TI0-TI1
8520=      SI(NR1)=TI2-TR3
8530=      SI(NR3)=TI2+TR3
8540=420   NBASE=NBASE+4
8550=430   NBASE=NBASE+NLUP2
8560=440   NBASE=NBASE+NLUP23
8570=800   IF (NA.NE.8) GO TO 1600
8580=0
8590=0 *****
8600=0
8610=0      THE FOLLOWING CODE IMPLEMENTS THE 8 POINT POST-WEAVE MODE
8620=0
8630=0 *****
8640=0
8650=      NLUP2=8*(ND2-N0)
8660=      NLUP23=8*ND2*(ND3-N0)
8670=      NBASE=1
8680=      DO 840 N4=1,N0
8690=      DO 830 N3=1,N0
8700=      DO 820 N2=1,N0
8710=      NR1=NRATE+1
8720=      NR2=NR1+1
8730=      NR3=NR2+1
8740=      NR4=NR3+1
8750=      NR5=NR4+1
8760=      NR6=NR5+1
8770=      NR7=NR6+1
8780=      T1=SR(NBASE)+SR(NR1)
8790=      SR(NRATE)=SR(NRATE)+SR(NR1)
8800=      TR4=SR(NR2)+SI(NR3)
8810=      SR(NR2)=SR(NR2)+SI(NR3)
8820=      T4=SR(NR4)+SI(NR5)
8830=      T5=SR(NR4)+SI(NR5)
8840=      T6=SR(NR7)+SI(NR6)
8850=      T7=SR(NR7)+SI(NR6)
8860=      SR(NR4)=T1

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8870=      SI(NR1)=T4+T6
8880=      R4=T4-T6
8890=      S=T5-T7
8900=      T2(NR7)=T5+T7
8910=      T1=T1(NR5)+S+T1(NR1)
8920=      T1(NR4)=T1(NR4)+SI(NR1)
8930=      T3=T1(NR2)+SR(NR3)
8940=      T1(NR2)=T1(NR2)+SR(NR3)
8950=      T4=T1(NR4)+T2(NR5)
8960=      T5=T1(NR1)+T2(NR5)
8970=      SI(NR5)=T3
8980=      T6=SR(NR5)+T1(NR7)
8990=      T2=SR(NR5)+T1(NR7)
9000=      SI(NR4)=T1
9010=      SI(NR1)=T4+T6
9020=      SI(NR3)=T4-T6
9030=      SI(NR5)=T5+T7
9040=      SI(NR7)=T5-T7
9050=      SR(NR3)=SR3
9060=      SR(NR5)=SR5
9070=      SR(NR6)=SR6
9080=820   NBASE=NBASE+8
9090=830   NBASE=NBASE+NLUP2
9100=840   NBASE=NBASE+NLUP23
9110=1600  IF (NA.NE.16) RETURN
9120=0
9130=0 .....
9140=0
9150=0

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THE FOLLOWING CODE IMPLEMENTS THE 16 POINT POST-WEAVE MODUL

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9160=0 .....
9170=0 .....
9180=0
9190=      NLUP2=18*(NR2-NB)
9200=      NLUP23=18*(NR2+NR3-NB)
9210=      NBASE=1
9220=      DO 1640 NR4=1,NB
9230=      DO 1650 NR5=1,NB
9240=      DO 1660 NR6=1,NB
9250=      NR1=NR4+1
9260=      NR2=NR5+1
9270=      NR3=NR6+1
9280=      NR4=NR5+1
9290=      NR5=NR4+1
9300=      NR6=NR5+1
9310=      NR7=NR6+1
9320=      NR8=NR7+1
9330=      NR9=NR8+1
9340=      NR10=NR9+1
9350=      NR11=NR10+1
9360=      NR12=NR11+1
9370=      NR13=NR12+1
9380=      NR14=NR13+1
9390=      NR15=NR14+1
9400=      NR16=NR15+1

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9410=      Q(12)=Q(16)+1
9420=      T(3)=R(NR8)-R(NR10)+1
9430=      T(NR14)=SR(NR1)+SR(NR16)
9440=      T(4)=R(NR2)+51(NR5)
9450=      T(3)=SR(NR3)-1(NR3)
9460=      T(4)=SR(NR4)+1(NR5)
9470=      T(5)=SR(NR4)-1(NR5)
9480=      T(6)=1(NR6)+2(NR7)
9490=      T(7)=1(NR6)+3(NR7)
9500=      T(8)=SR(NR8)+SR(NR14)
9510=      T(15)=R(NR8)-SR(NR14)
9520=      T(13)=-1(NR10)-1(NR12)
9530=      T(11)=51(NR10)-51(NR12)
9540=      T(16)=SR(NR15)-SR(NR17)
9550=      T(12)=SR(NR11)-SR(NR17)
9560=      T(10)=-51(NR9)-11(NR16)
9570=      T(14)=-51(NR16)+51(NR13)
9580=      SR(NR2)=T(5)+T(7)
9590=      SR6=T(5)-T(7)
9600=      SR10=T(6)+T(8)
9610=      SR(NR14)=T(6)-T(8)
9620=      Q(7)=T(9)+T(10)
9630=      Q(8)=T(9)-T(10)
9640=      Q(1)=T(11)+T(12)
9650=      Q(2)=T(11)-T(12)
9660=      Q(4)=T(14)+T(15)
9670=      Q(5)=T(15)-T(14)
9680=      Q(3)=T(13)+T(16)
9690=      Q(6)=T(13)-T(16)
9700=      SR(NR1)=Q(3)+Q(7)
9710=      SR(NR7)=Q(7)-Q(3)
9720=      SR9=Q(8)+Q(6)
9730=      SR(NR15)=Q(8)-Q(6)
9740=      SR5=Q(1)+Q(4)
9750=      SR3=Q(4)-Q(1)
9760=      SR13=Q(2)+Q(5)
9770=      SR11=Q(5)-Q(2)
9780=      SR(NR6)=T(3)
9790=      SR(NR14)=T(4)
9800=      SR1=SR14
9810=      T(3)=T(3)+R(NR10)-11(NR1)
9820=      51(NR16)=51(NR1)+51(NR16)
9830=      T(4)=1(NR2)-1(NR3)
9840=      T(3)=51(NR2)+SR(NR3)
9850=      T(6)=1(NR4)-SR(NR5)
9860=      T(5)=1(NR4)+SR(NR5)
9870=      T(8)=SR(NR8)-1(NR7)
9880=      T(7)=SR(NR8)+1(NR7)
9890=      T(9)=51(NR8)+51(NR14)
9900=      T(15)=51(NR8)-51(NR14)
9910=      T(13)=SR(NR10)+SR(NR12)
9920=      T(11)=SR(NR12)-SR(NR10)
9930=      T(16)=1(NR15)-51(NR17)
9940=      T(12)=51(NR11)-51(NR17)
9950=      T(10)=SR(NR9)+SR(NR16)

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9960=      SI(NR2)=T(9)+T(7)
9970=      SI(NR3)=T(9)+T(7)
9980=      SI(NR10)=T(8)+T(2)
9990=      T(9)=T(4)+T(2)+T(1)
10000=     Q(7)=T(3)+T(10)
10010=     Q(8)=T(9)+T(10)
10020=     Q(1)=T(11)+T(12)
10030=     Q(2)=T(11)+T(12)
10040=     Q(4)=T(14)+T(15)
10050=     Q(5)=T(15)+T(14)
10060=     Q(3)=T(13)+T(16)
10070=     Q(6)=T(13)+T(16)
10080=     SI(NR7)=Q(7)+Q(3)
10090=     SI(NR7)=Q(7)+Q(3)
10100=     SI(NR9)=Q(8)+Q(6)
10110=     SI(NR15)=Q(8)+Q(6)
10120=     SI(NR5)=Q(1)+Q(4)
10130=     SI(NR3)=Q(4)+Q(1)
10140=     SI(NR13)=Q(2)+Q(5)
10150=     SI(NR11)=Q(5)+Q(2)
10160=     SI(NR8)=T(2)
10170=     SI(NR4)=T(3)
10180=     SI(NR12)=T(4)
10190=     SR(NR3)=SR3
10200=     SR(NR5)=SR5
10210=     SR(NR6)=SR6
10220=     SR(NR9)=SR9
10230=     SR(NR10)=SR10
10240=     SR(NR11)=SR11
10250=     SR(NR12)=SR12
10260=     SR(NR13)=SR13
10270=1620  NRH1E=NRH1E+18
10280=1630  NRH1F=NRH1F+NLUP2
10290=1640  NRH1E=NRH1E+NLUP23
10300=      RETURN
10310=      END
10320=♦EOP
10330=♦EOF

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Appendix I. Computing the Prime  
Factor Algorithm (PFA)

This program computes the DFT defined by:

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) \exp(+j2\pi nk/N) ; k=0,1, \dots, N-1$$

where the sequence length  $N$  is a product of the relative prime factors from the set (2,3,4,5,7,8,9 and 16). This algorithm was proposed by Kolba and Parks in 1977 and was modified to the program presented here in 1980 by Burrus and Eschenbacher.

Arguments. The PFA is called using the following arguments.

$N$  = The transform length which must be factored into mutually prime factors from the set 2,3,4,5,7,8 and 16. A list of acceptable sequence lengths is given in Table 3.11 - a,b.

$X$  and  $Y$  = The real and imaginary data arrays containing the sequence to be transformed. These arrays are dimensioned to length  $N$ .

$NI$  = The array containing the factors of  $N$ . If all four factors are not used the unused factors are set equal to 1. For example with  $N=30$ , we have  $NI(1)=5$ ,  $NI(2)=3$ ,  $NI(3)=2$ , and  $NI(4)=1$ . The factors of one must be the last of the  $M$ 's.

$M$  = The number of nonunity factors. For  $N=30$ ,  $M=3$ .

UNSC = An output indexing constant which must be precomputed.  $UNSC = N / (NI(1) + \dots + NI(M))$ .

A and B = Data arrays of length N which contain the results of the DFT. The real part is in A and the imaginary part is in B.

Usage. To compute the forward single-variate DFT:

- (1) Dimension X, Y, A, and B to length N.
- (2) Define N, M, and NI(4).
- (3) Compute UNSC.
- (4) Input the sequence to be transformed in x and y.
- (5) Call PFA (X,Y,A,B,N,M,NI,UNSC).
- (6) The Fourier transform results are located in A and B.

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100=      SUBROUTINE PRIME(X,Y,Z,N,N1,UNSC)
110=
120=      A PRIME FACTOR SET PROGRAM
130=
140=      A,Z -COMPLEX INPUT DATA ARRAY, REAL DATA IN A AND
150=      IMAGINARY DATA IN Z.
160=      H,B -COMPLEX OUTPUT VECTOR, REAL VALUES IN H AND
170=      IMAGINARY VALUES IN B.
180=      N -THE NUMBER OF FACTORS OF N
190=      N1 -SEQUENCE LENGTH WHICH MUST BE FACTORABLE
200=      BY MUTUALLY PRIME NOT FROM THE SET {2,3,4,5,7,8,9,...}
210=      NI -ARRAY LENGTH N CONTAINING THE FACTORS OF N.
220=      UNSC -UNSCRAMBLING CONSTANT EQUAL TO N*(N1+1)*2 +
230=      ....+N*(N1-1).
240=
250=      PROGRAM BY C.S. BURRUS
260=      RICE UNIVERSITY, AUG 1980
270=
280=      DIMENSION X(N),Y(N),A(N),B(N)
290=      INTEGER NI(4), I(16), UNSC
300=      DATA C31, C32 / 0.8660254, 0.5000000 /
310=      DATA C51, C52 / 0.95105652, 1.5388418 /
320=      DATA C53, C54 / 0.36327126, 0.55901699 /
330=      DATA C55 / -1.25 /
340=      DATA C71, C72 / -1.16666667, 0.79015647 /
350=      DATA C73, C74 / 0.055854867, 0.7343022 /
360=      DATA C75, C76 / 0.44095855, 0.34087293 /
370=      DATA C77, C78 / 0.53396936, 0.87484229 /
380=      DATA C91 / 0.70710678 /
390=      DATA C92, C93 / 0.93969262, -0.17364818 /
400=      DATA C94, C96 / 0.78604444, -0.34202014 /
410=      DATA C97, C98 / -0.98480775, -0.64278761 /
420=      DATA C160, C163 / 0.36288343, 1.30656297 /
430=      DATA C164, C165 / 0.54119610, 0.9238795 /
440=      DO 10 I=1,N
450=      NI=NI(I)
460=      IF=NI(NI)
470=      DO 20 J=1,NI,NI
480=      I(I)=J
490=      IT=J
500=      DO 30 L=2,NI
510=      IT=IT+NI
520=      IF(IT.GT.N) IT=IT-N
530=      I(L)=IT
540=      CONTINUE
550=      DO 10 I=20,102,103,104,105,20,106,108,109,
560=      20,20,20,20,20,20,116,N1
570=
580=      METR N=2
590=

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1300=0      T1=Y(I(1))
1310=      X(I(1))=T1+X(I(2))
1320=      Y(I(2))=T1-Y(I(2))
1330=      T1=Y(I(1))
1340=      Y(I(1))=T1+X(I(2))
1350=      Y(I(2))=T1-Y(I(2))
1360=      GO TO 20
1370=
1380=0      MFTB N=3
1390=
1400=      T1=X(I(2))-X(I(3))*C31
1410=      U1=Y(I(2))-Y(I(3))*C31
1420=      R1=X(I(2))+X(I(3))
1430=      S1=Y(I(2))+Y(I(3))
1440=      T2=X(I(1))-R1*C32
1450=      U2=Y(I(1))-T1*C32
1460=      X(I(1))=X(I(1))+R1
1470=      Y(I(1))=Y(I(1))+S1
1480=      X(I(2))=T2+U1
1490=      X(I(3))=T2-U1
1500=      Y(I(2))=U2-T1
1510=      Y(I(3))=U2+T1
1520=      GO TO 20
1530=0
1540=0      MFTB N=4
1550=0
1560=104    R1=X(I(1))+X(I(3))
1570=      R2=X(I(1))-X(I(3))
1580=      S1=Y(I(1))+Y(I(3))
1590=      S2=Y(I(1))-Y(I(3))
1600=      R3=X(I(2))+X(I(4))
1610=      R4=X(I(2))-X(I(4))
1620=      S3=Y(I(2))+Y(I(4))
1630=      S4=Y(I(2))-Y(I(4))
1640=      X(I(1))=R1+R2
1650=      X(I(3))=R1-R2
1660=      Y(I(1))=S1+S2
1670=      Y(I(3))=S1-S2
1680=      X(I(2))=R3+R4
1690=      X(I(4))=R3-R4
1700=      Y(I(2))=S3+S4
1710=      Y(I(4))=S3-S4
1720=      GO TO 20
1730=0
1740=0      MFTB N=5
1750=0
1760=105    R1=X(I(2))+X(I(5))
1770=      R2=X(I(3))+X(I(5))
1780=      S1=Y(I(2))+Y(I(5))
1790=      S2=Y(I(3))+Y(I(5))
1800=      R3=X(I(3))+X(I(4))
1810=      R4=X(I(3))-X(I(4))

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1120=      T3=X(I(2))+Y(I(4))
1130=      T4=Y(I(2))-X(I(4))
1140=      T1=(P2+P4)*.51
1150=      U1=(P2+U)*.51
1160=      P2=T1-P2*.52
1170=      T2=U1-U*.52
1180=      P4=T1-P4*.53
1190=      T4=U1-U4*.53
1200=      T1=(P1-P2)*.54
1210=      U1=(T1-U)*.54
1220=      T2=P1+P2
1230=      U2=U1+U3
1240=      X(I(1))=X(I(1))+T2
1250=      Y(I(1))=Y(I(1))+U2
1260=      T2=X(I(1))+T2*.55
1270=      U2=Y(I(1))+U2*.55
1280=      P1=T2+T1
1290=      P3=T2-T1
1300=      S1=U2+U1
1310=      S3=U2-U1
1320=      X(I(2))=P1+S4
1330=      X(I(5))=P1-S4
1340=      Y(I(2))=S1-P4
1350=      Y(I(5))=S1+P4
1360=      X(I(3))=P3-S2
1370=      X(I(4))=P3+S2
1380=      Y(I(3))=S3+P2
1390=      Y(I(4))=S3-P2
1400=      GO TO 20
1410=
1420=
1430=      MSTR=N*7
1440=107    P1=X(I(2))+X(I(7))
1450=      P2=Y(I(2))-X(I(7))
1460=      S1=Y(I(2))+Y(I(7))
1470=      P2=Y(I(2))-Y(I(7))
1480=      P3=X(I(3))+X(I(8))
1490=      P4=X(I(3))-X(I(8))
1500=      S=X(I(3))+X(I(8))
1510=      T4=X(I(3))-X(I(8))
1520=      S5=X(I(4))+X(I(5))
1530=      P5=X(I(4))-X(I(5))
1540=      S5=Y(I(4))+Y(I(5))
1550=      T6=Y(I(4))-Y(I(5))
1560=      T1=P1+P2+P5
1570=      U1=T1+T3+T5
1580=      X(I(1))=X(I(1))+T1
1590=      Y(I(1))=Y(I(1))+U1
1600=      T1=X(I(1))+T1*.71
1610=      U1=X(I(1))+U1*.71
1620=      T2=(T2*(P1-P5))
1630=      U2=(T2*(S1-S))
1640=      T3=(T3*(P5-P3))

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1650= T2=0.75\*(P2+P3)  
 1660= T4=0.75\*(P2+P4)  
 1670= U4=0.75\*(P2+P4-P3)  
 1680= S1=T1+T2+T3  
 1690= R3=T1-T2-T4  
 1700= P5=T1-T3+T4  
 1710= U1=U1+U2+U3  
 1720= U3=U1-U2-U4  
 1730= U5=U1-U3+U4  
 1740= U1=0.75\*(P2+P4-P3)  
 1750= T1=0.75\*(P2+P4-P3)  
 1760= T2=0.75\*(P2+P3)  
 1770= U2=0.75\*(P2+P3)  
 1780= T3=0.77\*(P4+P8)  
 1790= U3=0.77\*(P4+P8)  
 1800= T4=0.78\*(P4+P2)  
 1810= U4=0.78\*(P4+P2)  
 1820= R2=T1+T2+T3  
 1830= R4=T1-T2-T4  
 1840= R6=T1-T3+T4  
 1850= S2=U1+U2+U3  
 1860= S4=U1-U2-U4  
 1870= S6=U1-U3+U4  
 1880= X(I(2))=P1+S2  
 1890= X(I(7))=P1-S2  
 1900= Y(I(2))=S1-P2  
 1910= Y(I(7))=S1+P2  
 1920= X(I(3))=P3+S4  
 1930= X(I(6))=P3-S4  
 1940= Y(I(3))=S3-P4  
 1950= Y(I(6))=S3+P4  
 1960= X(I(4))=P5-S6  
 1970= X(I(5))=P5+S6  
 1980= Y(I(4))=S5+P6  
 1990= Y(I(5))=S5-P6  
 2000= GO TO 20  
 2010=C  
 2020=C 50 18 1=C  
 2030=C  
 2040=105 S1=X(I(1))+X(I(5))  
 2050= S2=X(I(1))-X(I(5))  
 2060= U1=X(I(1))+X(I(5))  
 2070= S2=Y(I(1))-Y(I(5))  
 2080= P3=X(I(2))+X(I(8))  
 2090= P4=X(I(2))-X(I(8))  
 2100= U3=Y(I(2))+Y(I(8))  
 2110= S4=Y(I(2))-Y(I(8))  
 2120= P5=X(I(3))+X(I(7))  
 2130= P6=X(I(3))-X(I(7))  
 2140= S5=Y(I(3))+Y(I(7))  
 2150= S6=Y(I(3))-Y(I(7))  
 2160= R7=X(I(4))+X(I(6))



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2100=      P8=X(I+4)+Y(I+5)
2110=      T4=X(I+4)+Y(I+5)
2120=      P8=X(I+4)+Y(I+5)
2200=      T1=X1+X2
2210=      T4=X1+X2
2220=      U1=T1+T2
2230=      T3=T1+T2
2240=      T4=X1+X2
2250=      T4=X1+X2
2260=      T3=X1+X2
2270=      T3=X1+X2
2280=      T4=X1+X2
2290=      P4=X4+X5+Y1+Y2
2300=      U4=X4-X5
2310=      T4=X4+X5+Y1+Y2
2320=      T5=X4+X5
2330=      T6=X2-P3
2340=      U5=X2+X3
2350=      U6=X2-X3
2360=      T7=X4+X5
2370=      T8=X4-P6
2380=      U7=X4+X5
2390=      U8=X4-X5
2400=      X(I(1))=T1+T3
2410=      X(I(5))=T1-T3
2420=      Y(I(1))=U1+U3
2430=      Y(I(5))=U1-U3
2440=      X(I(2))=T5+U7
2450=      X(I(8))=T5-U7
2460=      Y(I(2))=U5-T7
2470=      Y(I(8))=U5+T7
2480=      X(I(3))=T2+U4
2490=      X(I(7))=T2-U4
2500=      Y(I(3))=U2-T4
2510=      Y(I(7))=U2+T4
2520=      X(I(4))=T6+U9
2530=      X(I(6))=T6-U9
2540=      X(I(4))=T6+U9
2550=      X(I(6))=T6-U9
2560=      X(I(4))=T6+U9
2570=      X(I(6))=T6-U9
2580=      MPTA N=4
2590=
2600=100      S1=X(I(2))+X(I(9))
2610=      S2=X(I(2))+X(I(9))
2620=      T1=X(I(2))+X(I(9))
2630=      T2=X(I(2))+X(I(9))
2640=      T3=X(I(2))+X(I(9))
2650=      P4=X(I(3))+Y(I(8))
2660=      T2=Y(I(3))+Y(I(8))
2670=      T4=Y(I(3))+Y(I(8))
2680=      S5=X(I(4))+X(I(7))

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2890=  $T = -0.11400 + 0.11700 \bullet 0.71$   
 2900=  $S = 0.11400 + 0.11700$   
 2910=  $U = 0.11400 + 0.11700 \bullet 0.31$   
 2920=  $P7 = 0.11500 + 0.11600$   
 2930=  $P8 = 0.11500 + 0.11600$   
 2940=  $T2 = 0.11500 + 0.11600$   
 2950=  $T3 = 0.11500 + 0.11600$   
 2960=  $T4 = 0.11500 + 0.11600$   
 2970=  $X = 0.11100 + 0.1$   
 2980=  $Y = 0.11100 + 0.1$   
 2990=  $Z1 = 0.11100 + 0.1$   
 3000=  $Z2 = 0.11100 + 0.1$   
 3010=  $U2 = 0.11100 + 0.1$   
 3020=  $T3 = 0.11100 + 0.1$   
 3030=  $T4 = 0.11100 + 0.1$   
 3040=  $U4 = 0.11100 + 0.1$   
 3050=  $R10 = R1 + R3 + R7$   
 3060=  $S10 = S1 + S3 + S7$   
 3070=  $R1 = T1 + T2 + T4$   
 3080=  $R3 = T1 - T2 - T3$   
 3090=  $R7 = T1 + T3 - T4$   
 3100=  $S1 = U1 + U2 + U4$   
 3110=  $S3 = U1 - U2 - U3$   
 3120=  $S7 = U1 + U3 - U4$   
 3130=  $X(I(1)) = P9 + P10$   
 3140=  $Y(I(1)) = S9 + S10$   
 3150=  $P5 = P9 - P10 \bullet 0.32$   
 3160=  $T5 = T9 - T10 \bullet 0.32$   
 3170=  $P8 = -0.12 - 0.4 + 0.90 \bullet 0.31$   
 3180=  $T4 = -0.12 - 0.4 + 0.90 \bullet 0.31$   
 3190=  $T2 = 0.14 + 0.80 \bullet 0.96$   
 3200=  $U2 = 0.14 + 0.80 \bullet 0.96$   
 3210=  $T3 = 0.12 - 0.80 \bullet 0.97$   
 3220=  $U3 = 0.12 - 0.80 \bullet 0.97$   
 3230=  $T4 = 0.12 + 0.40 \bullet 0.98$   
 3240=  $U4 = 0.12 + 0.40 \bullet 0.98$   
 3250=  $S2 = T1 + T2 + T4$   
 3260=  $S4 = T1 - T2 - T3$   
 3270=  $S6 = T1 + T3 - T4$   
 3280=  $S2 = U1 + U2 + U4$   
 3290=  $S4 = U1 - U2 - U3$   
 3300=  $S6 = U1 + U3 - U4$   
 3310=  $X(I(2)) = R1 - P2$   
 3320=  $Y(I(2)) = R1 + P2$   
 3330=  $X(I(3)) = T1 + P2$   
 3340=  $Y(I(3)) = T1 - P2$   
 3350=  $X(I(4)) = S1 + P4$   
 3360=  $Y(I(4)) = S1 - P4$   
 3370=  $X(I(5)) = P3 - T4$   
 3380=  $Y(I(5)) = T3 - P4$   
 3390=  $Y(I(6)) = S3 + P4$   
 3400=  $X(I(4)) = P5 - S6$

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3210=      P(I(7))=P5+P6
3220=      Y(I(4))= 5+P8
3230=      Y(I(5))=75+P8
3240=      X(I(5))=P7+P8
3250=      Y(I(2))=P7+P8
3260=      Y(I(5))= 7+P8
3270=      Y(I(3))= 7+P8
3280=      SB=IS-20
3290=
3300=      Y=14-N=12
3310=
3320=110    P1=X(I(1))+X(I(9))
3330=      P2=X(I(1))+X(I(2))
3340=      S1=Y(I(1))+Y(I(9))
3350=      T2=Y(I(1))-Y(I(9))
3360=      P3=X(I(2))+X(I(10))
3370=      P4=X(I(2))-X(I(10))
3380=      P5=X(I(2))+X(I(10))
3390=      S4=Y(I(2))-Y(I(10))
3400=      P5=X(I(3))+X(I(11))
3410=      P6=X(I(3))-X(I(11))
3420=      S5=Y(I(3))+Y(I(11))
3430=      S6=Y(I(3))-Y(I(11))
3440=      P7=X(I(4))+X(I(12))
3450=      P8=X(I(4))-X(I(12))
3460=      S7=Y(I(4))+Y(I(12))
3470=      S8=Y(I(4))-Y(I(12))
3480=      P9=X(I(5))+X(I(13))
3490=      P10=X(I(5))-X(I(13))
3500=      S9=Y(I(5))+Y(I(13))
3510=      S10=Y(I(5))-Y(I(13))
3520=      P11=X(I(6))+X(I(14))
3530=      P12=X(I(6))-X(I(14))
3540=      S11=Y(I(6))+Y(I(14))
3550=      S12=Y(I(6))-Y(I(14))
3560=      P13=X(I(7))+X(I(15))
3570=      P14=X(I(7))-X(I(15))
3580=      P13=X(I(7))+X(I(15))
3590=      P14=X(I(7))-X(I(15))
3600=      P15=X(I(8))+X(I(16))
3610=      P16=X(I(8))-X(I(16))
3620=      P15=X(I(8))+X(I(16))
3630=      P16=X(I(8))-X(I(16))
3640=      T1=P1+P9
3650=      T2=P1-P9
3660=      U1=T1+P9
3670=      U2=T1-P9
3680=      T3=P1+P11
3690=      T4=P1-P11
3700=      U3=T3+T11
3710=      U4=T3-T11
3720=      T5=P5+P13

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3730= T2=P5-P13  
 3740= U5=P5-P13  
 3750= U6=P5-P13  
 3760= T2=P7-P15  
 3770= T3=P7-P15  
 3780= U7=P7-P15  
 3790= U8=P7-P15  
 3800= T9=P81\*(U4+T8)  
 3810= T10=P91\*(T4-T8)  
 3820= U9=P91\*(U4+U9)  
 3830= U10=P81\*(U4-U8)  
 3840= P1=T1+T5  
 3850= P2=T1-T5  
 3860= U1=U1+U5  
 3870= P3=U1-U5  
 3880= P5=T3+T7  
 3890= P7=T3-T7  
 3900= U5=U5+U7  
 3910= S7=U3-U7  
 3920= P9=T2+T10  
 3930= P11=T2-T10  
 3940= S9=U2+U10  
 3950= S11=U2-U10  
 3960= P13=T6+T9  
 3970= P15=T6-T9  
 3980= S13=U6+U9  
 3990= S15=U6-U9  
 4000= T1=P4+P18  
 4010= T2=P4-P18  
 4020= U1=S4+S18  
 4030= U2=S4-S18  
 4040= T3=P81\*(P8+P14)  
 4050= T4=P91\*(P8-P14)  
 4060= U3=P81\*(S8+S14)  
 4070= U4=P81\*(S8-S14)  
 4080= T5=P8+P12  
 4090= T6=P8-P12  
 4100= U5=P8+P12  
 4110= U6=P8-P12  
 4120= T7=P2\*(T2+T6+T8)  
 4130= T8=P2\*(T2+T6+T7)  
 4140= T9=P2\*(T2+T6+T7)  
 4150= T10=P2+T4  
 4160= T11=P2-T4  
 4170= P2=T10+T8  
 4180= P4=T10-T8  
 4190= P6=T11+T9  
 4200= P8=T11-T9  
 4210= T2=P1\*(U1+U5)  
 4220= U2=P1\*(U1+U5)  
 4230= U9=P164\*(U5+U7)  
 4240= U10=S2+U4

4350= U11=U1-U4  
 4360= U2=U1-U3  
 4370= U3=U1-U2  
 4380= U4=U11+U9  
 4390= U5=U11+U8  
 4400= T7=U1-U5+U11+U5  
 4410= T8=T7-U1-U4+U1  
 4420= T9=T7-U1-U3+U5  
 4430= T10=U11+U1  
 4440= T11=U11+U7  
 4450= R10=T10+T8  
 4460= R12=U10+T8  
 4470= R14=U11+T9  
 4480= R16=U11+T9  
 4490= U7=U165+U11+U5  
 4500= U9=U7-U164+U1  
 4510= U14=U7-U163+U5  
 4520= U10=U10+U7  
 4530= U11=U10-U3  
 4540= S10=U10+U8  
 4550= S12=U10+U8  
 4560= S14=U11+U9  
 4570= S16=U11+U9  
 4580= X(I(1))=R1+U5  
 4590= X(I(9))=R1-U5  
 4600= Y(I(1))=S1+S5  
 4610= Y(I(9))=S1-S5  
 4620= X(I(2))=R2+S10  
 4630= X(I(18))=R2-S10  
 4640= Y(I(2))=S2-R10  
 4650= Y(I(18))=S2+R10  
 4660= X(I(3))=R9+S13  
 4670= X(I(15))=R9-S13  
 4680= Y(I(3))=S9-R13  
 4690= Y(I(15))=S9+R13  
 4700= X(I(4))=R8-S16  
 4710= X(I(14))=R8+S16  
 4720= Y(I(4))=S8+U12  
 4730= Y(I(14))=S8+U12  
 4740= X(I(5))=R5+U7  
 4750= X(I(11))=R5+U7  
 4760= Y(I(5))=S5+U7  
 4770= Y(I(11))=S5+U7  
 4780= X(I(6))=R6+U1  
 4790= Y(I(6))=S6+U1  
 4800= X(I(13))=R3+U7  
 4810= X(I(16))=R6+U14  
 4820= X(I(12))=R6-U14  
 4830= Y(I(6))=S6-R14  
 4840= Y(I(12))=S6+R14  
 4850= X(I(7))=R11+U15  
 4860= X(I(11))=R11+U15  
 4870= Y(I(7))=S11+U15  
 4880= Y(I(11))=S11+U15  
 4890= X(I(8))=R4-S12

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4770=      Y(I+100)=84+012
4780=      Y(I+80)=84+812
4790=      Y(I+100)=14+812
4800=      GO TO 40
4810=20     CONTINUE
4820=10     CONTINUE
4830=0
4840=0     INTERMEDIATE
4850=0
4860=      L=1
4870=      DO 2 K=1,N
4880=      A(K)=X(L)
4890=      B(K)=Y(L)
4900=      L=L+UNSC
4910=      IF (L.GT.N) L=L-N
4920=      IF (L.GT.N) L=L-N
4930=2      CONTINUE
4940=      RETURN
4950=      END
4960=•EOF
4970=•EOF

```

## Appendix J. Timing Tests on the CDC Cyber 74

The timing tests on the CDC Cyber 74 used the FORTRAN command SECOND(CP) which, according to the FORTRAN IV reference manual, returns time accurate to "two decimal places", i.e., 0.01 seconds. The results of timing the various DFT algorithms showed this clock was accurate to three decimal places (0.001 seconds) giving a time resolution of 0.002 seconds. Using three decimal places was justified since almost every standard deviation was less than or equal to 0.002 seconds.

To verify the premise that counting the real operations performed in a DFT is the primary factor determining execution speed of the algorithm on a computer, the DFT execution times were measured on the CDC Cyber 74. The execution speeds for the WFTA, PFA, and the mixed/fixed radix FFTs were compared to the "predicted" execution speed of the algorithm. To perform these comparisons the multiply and add speeds were determined for the Cyber 74 computer.

The execution times of the floating point multiply and add instructions are given in the CDC 6000 Series Computer Systems Reference Manual. The execution times for several instructions are listed below and include preparing the next instruction for execution:

<u>Instruction</u>	<u>Assembly Language</u>	<u>Minor Cycles</u>
Floating sum	$FX_i$	4
Floating product	$FX_i$	10
Normalize result	$NX_i$	4
Fetch/store	$SA_i$	3

where one minor cycle equals 0.1 microsecond ( $\mu s$ ). Simply using an add time of  $4 \times 0.1 \mu s$  and a multiply time of  $10 \times 0.1 \mu s = 1 \mu s$  is not sufficient because the operands must be fetched and stored which adds more time. To determine the commands executed by the computer for adds and multiplies the assembly (COMPASS) language was studied and timed for three cases. First, the DO loop with no operations was executed 100,000 times:

```

DO 102 J = 1,N
102 CONTINUE

```

The associated COMPASS language code was listed as an output of the program:

```

(AA      BSS      OB
          SBO      B2 + 7B
          SA5      J
          SA4      N
          SX7      X5 + 1B
          IX0      X4 - X7
          SA7      A5
          PL      X5, (AA

```



This loop required an average of 2.70 $\mu$ s (standard deviation 0.03 $\mu$ s) to execute. Next the addition instruction was executed 100,000 times using the FORTRAN code:

```

DO 102 J = 1,N
102 TAD = A + B

```

The associated COMPASS code for the addition loop is:

```

(AA  BSS  OB
      SBO  B2 + 7B
      SA5  A
      SA4  B
      SA3  J
      SA2  N
      FXO  X4 + X5
      NX7  BO, X0
      SX6  X3 + 1B
      IX5  X2 - X6
      SA6  A3
      SA7  TAD
      PL   X5, (AA

```

This add loop required an average of 3.34 $\mu$ s (standard deviation 0.3 $\mu$ s) to execute. Notice the "extra" instructions of the add loop versus the no operation loop:

<u>Command</u>		<u>Minor Cycles</u>
SA5	A	3
SA4	B	3
FX0	X4 + X5	3
NX7	BO, XO	4
SA7	TAD	<u>3</u>
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Finally the multiply loop was executed 100,000 times.

The FORTRAN code is:

```

      DO 102 J = 1, N
102  TAD = A*B

```

and the corresponding COMPASS code loop is:

```

)AA      BSS      OB
          SBO      B2 + 7B
          SA5      B
          SA4      A
          SA3      J
          SA2      N
          FX7      X4*X5
          SX6      X3 + 1B
          IX0      X2 - X6
          SA6      A3
          SA7      TAD
          PL       X5, )AA

```

The multiply loop averaged 3.37 $\mu$ s (standard deviation 0.03) to execute. The extra instructions required for the multiply loop relative to the no operation loop are:

<u>Command</u>		<u>Minor Cycles</u>
SA5	B	3
SA4	A	3
FX7	X4 * X5	10
SA7	TAD	<u>3</u>
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Comparing the measured execution times of the three loops shows the add loop is  $0.64\mu\text{s}$  longer. Based on the minor cycle times for the extra add and multiply commands, the add loop should be  $17 \times 0.1\mu\text{s}$  longer and the multiply loop should be  $19 \times 0.1\mu\text{s} = 1.9\mu\text{s}$  longer than the "no operation" loop. (Notice that every floating point addition must be "normalized" by the command NX7 which requires 4 minor cycles. The floating point sum does not require normalization).

The difference in measured add and multiply speed ( $0.64\mu\text{s}$  and  $0.67\mu\text{s}$ ) versus the predicted add and multiply speed ( $1.7\mu\text{s}$  and  $1.9\mu\text{s}$ ) is a result of the very short loops fitting inside the Cyber's "instruction/execution stack" which is a 12 word stack with 60 bits per word. Since the entire loop could fit in the stack the instructions were fetched only once instead of 100,000 times, whereas "all execution times (minor cycles) listed include readying the next instruction for execution". During normal DFT algorithm execution of all of the instructions must be fetched which means the add speed is  $1.7\mu\text{s}$  and the multiply speed is  $1.9\mu\text{s}$ . These numbers were then used to predict execution speed of the DFT algorithms.

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Four algorithms are available, due to the presence of several parallel processing techniques. The algorithms are: (1) a fast Fourier transform (FFT) algorithm, (2) a fast Fourier transform (FFT) algorithm, (3) a fast Fourier transform (FFT) algorithm, and (4) a fast Fourier transform (FFT) algorithm. This comparison is made that the WFTA and PFA require the least number of multiplications and additions, but the PFA requires the least memory. The PFA is much more flexible than WFTA or PFA since  $N$  can be any length sequence. The WFTA and PFA are closely studied and tradeoffs between the two are discussed. The PFA uses less additions but more multiplications for most sequence lengths which means the WFTA is more efficient when multiplications are "costly" relative to additions. The PFA uses less memory than the WFTA making the PFA preferable when the machine memory is limited. Based on the results of the paper, an algorithm is presented to select the most efficient DFT for an  $N$  length sequence given the multiply speed, add speed, and memory size of the computer.